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WEATHER
Cloudy, colder, chance of snow flurries tonight, Wednesday.

Readings from Mon. noon to Tues. noon:
12 n. 23 3 a.m. 27
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Another Suspect Arrested In Buchanan Store Holdup

A second man was arrested Monday on a warrant charging armed robbery of \$20,251 Nov. 3 at Rees Jewelry store in Buchanan.

Officers of the Berrien County Metro Crime Unit and Benton township police arrested Roy Moore, 49, who gave an address of 1870 Council drive (Berrien

Homes), Benton township, on a warrant authorized Dec. 4. He was booked at the Berrien county jail.

An ex-convict, Robert Lee Williams, 34, Lansing, who was arrested Nov. 28 in the robbery of Green's Jewelry, St. Joseph, was also charged in the Buchanan jewelry store robbery.

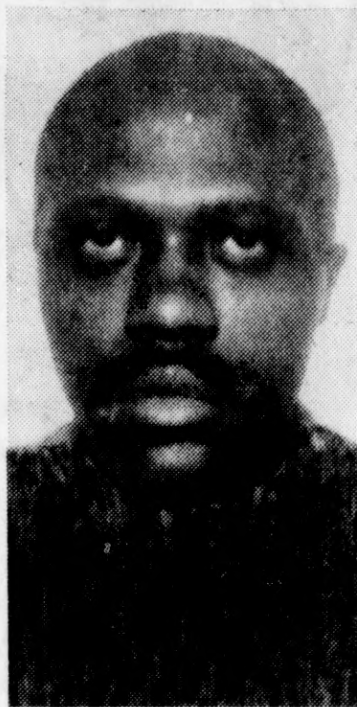
Williams demanded examination last Friday in Berrien Fifth district court on that charge.

Warrants for Williams and Moore allege the pair robbed the Buchanan store of \$20,251 in cash and jewelry. The warrants were issued last Thursday after police combined investigation of

the Buchanan robbery with the St. Joseph holdup.

Buchanan and Metro police said no loot has been recovered in the Buchanan robbery. Alleged loot of \$7,379 in rings and \$251 in cash and checks was recovered in the St. Joseph robbery.

Williams and two women were arrested in St. Joseph seven minutes after a silent alarm went off at the city police station.



ROY MOORE
Charged in robbery

Higher Milk Prices Take Effect Dec. 15

DETROIT — The wholesale price of milk is scheduled to increase again Dec. 15, with the Michigan Milk Producers Association reporting it will boost prices by more than one-half cent per quart.

The increase, which will be under three cents a gallon, will be the fourth since September, an association spokesman said.

The association said actual wholesale price increases would be 30 cents per hundred pounds of milk — about 12 gallons — in

both the Lower and Upper Peninsulas. A hundredweight of milk amounts to about 48 quarts.

Hundredweight prices will climb to \$10.90 in Southwestern Michigan. This is the price dairymen receive for the percentage of milk delivered which is used to make bottled milk. If the milk is used for other purposes, such as to make cheese, the farmer will receive a few dollars less than the price.

Hauling and other deductions are made from the money before the farmer gets his return.

The milk marketing cooperative said increased production costs incurred during the past 18 months make the price increase necessary. Dairy farmer income remained at "depressed levels" over the period, the association said.

When the increase takes effect, hundredweight prices will have increased \$1.50 since September.

Christians Backed To Sea In Fierce Beirut Fighting

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Christian gunmen with their backs to the Mediterranean held off fierce Moslem attacks in Beirut today after what the state radio called the "worst and cruelest night of fighting" in the eight-month civil war for control of Lebanon. The two-day death count rose to about 160.

A police official who counted the dead said hundreds more were wounded.

The Christians battled against an encircling assault by Moslem

and leftist forces in the downtown hotel and commercial district.

A spokesman for the right-wing Christian Phalange party said Phalange fighters held out and even retook part of Beirut's small, ravaged Jewish quarter, which had been overrun in the Moslem attack Monday.

Half a dozen major fires were set after rocket and mortar exchanges, including one in the 500-room Phoenicia Hotel where Christian militiamen were besieged.

In a temporary local truce, army troops took over the fire-damaged Phoenicia and evacuated Christian gunmen, staff and guests.

Interior Minister Camille Chamoun told newsmen at the presidential palace that army armored units were taking up positions in the seaside battle zone, but persons in the area saw no signs of army intervention.

Associated Press photographer Zuhari Saade was wounded in the leg during bitter street fighting that ignored the presence of about 200 army troops and a half-dozen army armored vehicles.

The latest round of savage battles began Saturday night after a massacre by both sides in which police said 128 persons were murdered.

Besides the hotels, the seaside battle zone includes the main commercial district and the banking district, once the financial heart of the Middle East.

An estimated 700 Moslems pushed ahead in a pincer movement that virtually surrounded the Christians, cutting them off from the Ashrafieh, their stronghold inside the city.

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The Moslems apparently were trying to push to the sea near the port of Beirut, which adjoins Ashrafieh, and cut off the Christian fighters in the hotel and commercial district.

The Christians were holding out in several tall buildings in the area including the Holiday Inn, the Phoenicia, the unfinished Hilton Hotel and the

Starco office complex.

Spokesmen for the right-wing Phalange party claimed its 6,000-man militia, the biggest of the private Christian armies, repulsed the Moslem attack at several points.

The government radio told all

residents to stay indoors for the third straight day.

Christian and Moslem militias also traded mortar barrages in suburban battle areas on the northern and eastern sides of the city.

Army commandos with tanks

and armored cars moved in Monday night to protect a small downtown salient including the central post office, the ministry of finance, the parliament building and the local "Wall

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SANTA AND HELPER: Russell M. Roberts, the man who roams the halls of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare around this time each year dressed as Santa Claus, chats with his wife and new helper Lee Roberts in Washington Monday. Mrs. Roberts replaces last year's mini-skirted helper. (AP Wirephoto)

HEW Santa Hopes Mini-Skirt Flap Over

By JOHN STOWELL
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government Santa Claus who incurred the wrath of women's libbers last year when he put two mini-skirted volunteers to work collecting money for the poor is back at his post. But this time, he's accompanied by Mrs. Claus, clad in a floor-length ensemble. "I volunteered," said Lee Roberts. "I knew Santa had had trouble last year." With a wink, she asked to be addressed as "Ms." The Santa roaming the halls of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare is her husband, Russell M. Roberts. He said he was instructed by a high-level official to "avoid controversy at all costs" this year. That means the two attractive young HEW employees who helped him gather donations last year will not be back. Roberts, for the eighth straight year, is taking a 2½-week vacation from his job as HEW's freedom of information officer to collect donations of money, clothing and food from fellow employees for the capital city's poor.

Mrs. Claus, he said, will help when she can. "She's got a house and family to take care of and shopping to do," said Santa, who relies on natural padding to fill out his red suit. "Last year's controversy wasn't worth it. I spent much of my time justifying myself and the publicity probably made the difference of only \$100 or \$200."

Roberts said he had asked HEW's professional female employees who raised the roof over the miniskirted helpers last year to pitch in on this year's effort as a demonstration that there are no lingering hard feelings. "I don't have any commitment from them," he said.

Last year Roberts was accused of "exploitation" for accepting the services of the two young volunteers, who chose their own costumes of short red suits with white trim and matching red leotards. The controversy erupted at a meeting between professional female employees and other HEW workers. The female employees accused Roberts of "using scantily clad women to entice men to contribute." The other side said the outraged women were just being jealous.

Snowball Warriors Hit WMU

By Associated Press

Although Monday night's snow storm wasn't anything to brag about, some 200 Western Michigan students found there was enough of the white stuff to hold what may be the season's biggest snowball fight to date.

Officials said the mammoth battle resulted in \$800 damage at the school and injuries to two students. One of them, they said, suffered a broken leg in the mock war.

The National Weather Service said snowfall at selected spots for the 24 hours ending at 7 a.m. today ranged from just more than three-tenths of an inch at Jackson to a dusting of .01 inches at Marquette. Some spots, such as Houghton on the Keweenaw Peninsula, were reported clear, with others cloudy.

However, weathermen posted heavy snow warnings and travelers advisories for the Thumb and Detroit areas today, and said snowfalls could total four inches.

Although the snowfall was not heavy over night, the Michigan Auto Club said roads ranged from wet and slushy near metropolitan areas to snow covered and slippery in outlying districts.

Most of the snow and bad driving was reported south of a line connecting South Haven and Detroit. Roads north of the line were reported slippery but with generally no more than an inch of accumulation.

are slated for cuts of 4 per cent.

The recommendations must be approved or rejected within 10 days.

In addition to the spending order — which must be approved by both appropriations committees to take effect — Milliken proposes to make up the rest of the deficit by altering the fiscal year and dipping into two restricted funds.

Switching the fiscal year to match the new federal year of Oct. 1-Sept. 30 — instead of July

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Days Till
Christmas

Crystal Springs Florist open house winning numbers. 690364. 690259, 64 667122, 44

Education, Welfare Cuts Are Reduced

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Gov. William Milliken today issued his second budget-trimming executive order, cutting \$123.7 million to avoid a \$280 million state deficit.

The order, delivered to the House and Senate appropri-

tations committees, takes less of a bite from education and welfare than a similar order rejected in November.

In the latest plan, spending cuts for state departments are increased, as are deletions in revenue sharing to local governments.

Under the order, state aid to education would be reduced \$48 million. State departments would suffer a cutback of a total of \$18.7 million, revenue sharing would be trimmed by \$12.1 million while building projects would lose \$5.4 million.

The Department of Social Services, which administers welfare, would receive a 2.5 per cent cut in its current budget. Other department budgets similarly cut would be mental health and treasury. The departments of commerce, labor and licensing and regulation would only need to save 1.5 per cent of their budgets.

The remainder of the agencies

PROPERTY IMPROVEMENT

House Passes Elderly Tax Break

By JIM KEEGSTRA
Associated Press Writer

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Legislation exempting low income senior citizens from special property improvement taxes passed the state House Monday and was sent to the Senate.

Under the first of the two bills, an elderly homeowner charged more than \$300 for services like sewer or street improvements could defer payment to one year after death.

If the homeowner is married, the delay would extend until after the death of both husband and wife.

To pay local governments for the special assessments in the meantime, the second bill would create a special \$3 million state fund. The fund, borrowed from the Veterans' Trust Fund, would be repaid with interest by the homeowner's heirs or buyers of the house.

Then eligible to apply for deferments would be U.S. ci-

tizens 65 or older living in Michigan for five years and earning less than \$6,000 a year.

The first bill passed 91-7, while the loan fund measure passed 94-4. Both were sponsored by Rep. Jelt Sietsma, D-Grand Rapids.

The bills are intended to prevent the elderly from losing homes by tax sales, ordered when a homeowner has not paid the special assessments for property improvements.

approved, 99-1, and sent to the governor a bill intended to encourage employment of substitute teachers.

The measure would permit a substitute to teach up to four days a week without qualifying for unemployment compensation if laid off.

Currently, a part-time school employee who works 12 or more hours a week for 14 weeks is eligible for jobless benefits. Bill

tutes work that many hours, so the district won't have to pay unemployment insurance.

Under the bill, a substitute could work up to 24 hours a week without qualifying for benefits.

Backers of the bills said that would encourage schools to provide work for the same substitute teachers for longer periods.

The measure was sponsored by Sen. and Huffman, D-Madison Heights.



BATTLE BREAK: Leftist militiamen rest in front of the Holy Bible bookstore located in Parliament Square in Beirut Monday during a break in the fighting between Moslems and Christians. A coalition of leftists under Moslem leader, Kamal Junblatt, is seeking to wrest power from the Christian-controlled government in Lebanon. (AP Wirephoto)

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Though the New Detroit scheme is the lesser of several evils, notably a higher statewide income tax for everyone, it comes ever closer to a long standing problem besetting the Lansing tax collection system.

Michigan borders on Indiana, Ohio and Wisconsin. At Detroit it is a mere river's width from Canada and in our vicinity only a two-hour drive to Chicago.

While not too familiar with prices in Ohio and Wisconsin, we are aware, as are a good many other people, of the bargains on Chicago liquor and Indiana cigarettes.

Michigan imposes stiff penalties for smuggling drinks and smokes across her borders, but it is a caseload endeavor in the western section, one that the New Detroit plan would stimulate to greater effort.

While there are no reliable figures on how deeply this illegal traffic affects local Michigan business, it must be fairly substantial. Raising the excises will add to that burden unless the Michigan Department of Revenue institutes a massive search and seizure program along the state line.

In trying to outfit Detroit in a new life jacket, the legislature should look carefully into the impact any rescue mission will exert on Michigan at large.

SALT Questions Need To Be Answered

Adm. Elmo Zumwalt's testimony before the House Select Committee on

Intelligence concerning Soviet violations of the SALT I agreement brought into the open spotlight a subject which has been skirted in public for some time. Assertions by the former chief of naval operations that the Soviets are guilty of gross violations of the 1972 agreements — and that the President may not be fully apprised of the extent of those violations — require more substantive answers than the usual denials.

About the time the retired admiral was testifying, independent intelligence information was circulating to the effect that the Soviets may be experimenting with radiation devices, one purpose of which could be to neutralize sensors on board American satellites used to detect missile launchings.

Between the two, at least sufficient doubts have been raised about compliance with SALT I agreements to warrant a hard look by Congress. If Adm. Zumwalt is correct in his charge that Sec. of State Kissinger has held back evidence of Soviet non-compliance from the President, the strategic arms controversy has taken on a more ominous tone.

If the charge cannot be substantiated, Sec. Kissinger has been done a grave injustice. In any case, Congress needs to know the truth of the matter.

About To Get A Hitch!



EDITOR'S MAILBAG

ST. JOE POLICE CONGRATULATED

I would like to say that I am very happy to see that St. Joseph has a very efficient police department and they deserve every bit of commendation possible for the quick action demonstrated on Friday, Nov. 28.

I personally know every officer involved and in my opinion they are a bunch of great guys and I'm grateful to know they are on our police department and I sincerely hope and I'm sure they will keep up the good work.

Gary W. James
Lock Box 500
Jonia, Mich.

ABOUT COVERAGE OF GIRL'S GAMES

I would like to respond to an article in your Letters to the Editor's column concerning girl's basketball. First of all,

the writer was concerned because St. Joe got more coverage than Lakeshore. This was true, but St. Joe is class A and Lakeshore is class B. I would also like to know if any of the parents from Lakeshore went and talked to the sports editor of this newspaper to see why girl's basketball was not being covered better?

Well, this is one mother who went and got the excuse that there was not enough interest in girl's sports. A very poor excuse as far as I am concerned, especially since the sports editor had not been to see any girl's basketball teams play this year. At least, I did get them to attend a few games. Also, I would like Lakeshore to know that it was this St. Joe mother that helped get the Lakeshore tournament game on the air! I started a petition to allow WSJM to broadcast the tournament games and it worked. How many Lakeshore mothers did the same? Sure St. Joe got in more pictures. They were a terrific team with a coach who went and talked to this newspaper and called in all the scores every time. You put together a terrific team, a wonder of a coach and parents who care and know how to show it, and it shows, whether it be the newspaper or the local radio stations.

One thing I do agree with is the fact that all girl's sports are not getting enough publicity. In all girl's sports our girls work just as hard, if not harder, than the boys but only get a fraction of the coverage. This seems a shame. In this age of equality, why not equal coverage?

I was told by this newspaper that there was not enough interest in girl's sports. Well, let me ask you this, Mr. Editor, how can there be more interest if no one really knows about it? The newspaper and radio stations can make or break a team. You can put in larger articles and more pictures and let the people of the area know that there are girls in this community that are trying to make a school and parents proud of them. We have girls, in all the schools, that are equal, if not better, than some of our boy athletes.

Maybe next year, some Lakeshore parents will join the St. Joe parents and together maybe we can get more coverage for Lakeshore.

Mrs. Douglas King
811 Church street
St. Joseph.

Council Takes Up Soviet Persecution

NAIROBI, Kenya (AP) — The assembly of the World Council of Churches assembly struggled today with the explosive issue of religious restrictions in the Soviet Union. Russian Orthodox leaders said the issue could isolate them from the rest of Christianity.

It was the first time the assembly had openly faced the question of whether to censure the Soviet government for impeding religious liberty.

Berry's World



"Quick! Everybody come here! You got to see this talk show guest — he's NOT plugging a book!"

Ray Cromley

Expect No Decisive Presidential Choice



WASHINGTON — (NEA) — One of my minor political acquaintances once told me his strategy in any contest was simple. Stir things up by any means possible, then watch for any breaks the turmoil offered. It is not my belief that this is President Ford's objective in his all-out drive against the hidebound regulatory agencies, new and old. His emotions on regulations ran too high. His interest in the subject is too old — begun well before he'd developed a presidential political strategy. But the results may be similar, all the same, to the stir-things-up strategy of my old acquaintance.

What seems clear is that Mr. Ford will now have a great many people up in arms, crossing party and ideological lines. What's more, Mr. Ford seems to be enjoying the turmoil immensely. Intimates say he's delighted by the kind of opposition he's getting. These are the type of political enemies he wants.

For those thinking of 1976 and the type of man they want as president, this fight on the regulatory agencies will be a testing time for Mr. Ford — far more significant as to the man's ability or lack of it, than his strategy on New York City's problems.

In the next few months we will have a chance to see President Ford's political ingenuity and leadership severely challenged in a catch as catch can series of battles in which traditional foes and allies will be so crossed that no second rater could possibly bring order out of the chaos.

One way or another, Mr. Ford may find in his corner such unlikely colleagues as Sen. Edward Kennedy (D-Mass.) Ralph

Nader and his consumer groups, farm associations and major environmentalists. Aligned against him may be the Teamsters, big truckers and some of the men who have been among his major backers in industry.

At immediate stake is the success or failure of Mr. Ford's attack on the noose-like regulations which control the trucking business, largely, his aides say, for the benefit of established companies.

Simultaneously, there will be battles over Ford administration bills defusing regulations in the airline and railroad industries.

The emotional charge of almost every group involved in each of these fields; those for and those against whatever Mr. Ford or anyone else proposes, is so great it may be virtually impossible, this year and next, to determine the facts. All of which will leave both congressmen and voters largely confused as to where the truth lies.

On his side, the President has gathered a team of young men as ideologically committed and as fervent as Nader's raiders or president Kennedy's Irish mafia. Some have spent their entire working lives in private research, as college professors and in government developing their objectives and dreaming what changes they would make in government regulation of industry and the economy if opportunity should come their way.

The stakes for us all are great. Today's regulations, some foolish, some wise but made foolish by petty minded bureaucrats, some so complicated they invite corruption — cost us billions each year and too frequently reduce our quality of life.

Jeffrey Hart

Sex And The 1st Amendment



No one has been more relentless than the contemporary liberal in asserting the claims of the erotic against all social and cultural restraint.

The liberal reads the First Amendment as legitimizing a flood of pornography. From Alfred Kinsey to Masters and Johnson, he employs "science" to advance the cause of erotic liberation. For the liberal it is not enough that a college campus be coeducational; it is a virtual imperative that the sexes inhabit the same dormitory together.

Why? The answer I think lies in a remark someone once made about D.H. Lawrence — that sex is the "mysticism of materialism." I take this to mean that, in a thoroughly materialist and secular culture, sex is a principal way of seeking relief from "ordinary consciousness." The round of ordinary hours and days inevitably becomes a burden, and the human psyche seeks some relief.

It is therefore quite possible to see a profound connection between this use of sex in the materialist and secular culture inhabited by — indeed created by — the liberal, and the desperate search for other materialist modes of transcendence. Hard drugs thus become a middle class problem.

In a recent talk, the British writer Malcolm Muggeridge provided the following pertinent but chilling reflections:

"How I envy the Gibbon who, looking back across the centuries at the decline and fall of our Western civilization, as Gibbon himself did on that of Rome, will remark on how, as we systematically destroyed, or allowed to be destroyed, all the values and restraints of the Christian way of life which we had inherited, we remain convinced that each innovation, each new assault on marital fidelity, the sanctity of the home and the responsibilities of parenthood, was bound to be conducive to our well-being and enlightenment."

"There is a nightmare which from time to time afflicts me. I find myself in a BBC studio

deep underground, while up above the mushroom cloud gathers and the last vestiges of civilized life disappear.

"In our studio, the discussion proceeds, and a lady participant with a particularly shrill voice is insisting that if only the school age might be raised to 20 and the age of consent lowered to ten, if only birth pills could be distributed to Brownies with their morning milk and extended to tiny tots in the play schools, if only marriage counseling might begin with the cradle and 'Lady Chatterley's Lover' got into the comics, all would yet be well."

"In the light of these antics, it is difficult to resist the conclusion that Western man, having wearied of the struggle, by himself, has decided to abolish himself."

It is surely inevitable that the liberal and his secular culture will play a high price for an eroticism amounting to sheer superstition. Serious civilizations, indeed all historical civilizations, have placed a variety of restraints on sex, not because they are prudish or "repressed," but because human experience has demonstrated how profoundly sex is involved with the structure of the personality.

I notice that Charles Manson, that dark parody of 1960s liberalism, systematically broke down the personality structure of his followers, and did so chiefly through indiscriminate and polymorphous sex.

Indeed, Charlie Manson is a fascinating figure, not only as one product of his time and culture, but as a comment on them and perhaps as a kind of portent.

BRAZIL POLITICIAN DIES
RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil (AP) — Former Congressman Plinio Salgado, leader of a once-strong Brazilian movement that resembled Italian fascism, Integralists, died Friday in Sao Paulo. He was 80.

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Michigan imposes stiff penalties for smuggling drinks and smokes across her borders, but it is a caseload endeavor in the western section, one that the New Detroit plan would stimulate to greater effort.

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In trying to outfit Detroit in a new life jacket, the legislature should look carefully into the impact any rescue mission will exert on Michigan at large.

Intelligence concerning Soviet violations of the SALT I agreement brought into the open spotlight a subject which has been skirted in public for some time. Assertions by the former chief of naval operations that the Soviets are guilty of gross violations of the 1972 agreements — and that the President may not be fully apprised of the extent of those violations — require more substantive answers than the usual denials.

About the time the retired admiral was testifying, independent intelligence information was circulating to the effect that the Soviets may be experimenting with radiation devices, one purpose of which could be to neutralize sensors on board American satellites used to detect missile launchings.

Between the two, at least sufficient doubts have been raised about compliance with SALT I agreements to warrant a hard look by Congress. If Adm. Zumwalt is correct in his charge that Sec. of State Kissinger has held back evidence of Soviet non-compliance from the President, the strategic arms controversy has taken on a more ominous tone.

If the charge cannot be substantiated, Sec. Kissinger has been done a grave injustice. In any case, Congress needs to know the truth of the matter.

About To Get A Hitch!



EDITOR'S MAILBAG

ST. JOE POLICE CONGRATULATED

I would like to say that I am very happy to see that St. Joseph has a very efficient police department and they deserve every bit of commendation possible for the quick action demonstrated on Friday, Nov. 28.

I personally know every officer involved and in my opinion they are a bunch of great guys and I'm grateful to know they are on our police department and I sincerely hope and I'm sure they will keep up the good work.

Gary W. James
Lock Box 500
Ionia, Mich.

ABOUT COVERAGE OF GIRL'S GAMES

I would like to respond to an article in your Letters to the Editor's column concerning girl's basketball. First of all,

the writer was concerned because St. Joe got more coverage than Lakeshore. This was true, but, St. Joe is class A and Lakeshore is class B. I would also like to know if any of the parents from Lakeshore went and talked to the sports editor of this newspaper to see why girl's basketball was not being covered better?

Well, this is one mother who went and got the excuse that there was not enough interest in girl's sports. A very poor excuse as far as I am concerned, especially since the sports editor had not been to see any girl's basketball teams play this year.

At least, I did get them to attend a few games. Also, I would like Lakeshore to know that it was this St. Joe mother that helped get the Lakeshore tournament game on the air! I started a petition to allow WSJM to broadcast the tournament games and it worked. How many Lakeshore mothers did the same?

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tures. They were a terrific team with a coach who went and talked to this newspaper and called in all the scores every time. You put together a terrific team, a wonder of a coach and parents who care and know how to show it, and it shows, whether it be the newspaper or the local radio stations.

One thing I do agree with is the fact that all girl's sports are not getting enough publicity. In all girl's sports our girls work just as hard, if not harder, than the boys but only get a fraction of the coverage. This seems a shame. In this age of equality, why not equal coverage?

I was told by this newspaper that there was not enough interest in girl's sports. Well, let me ask you this, Mr. Editor, how can there be more interest if no one really knows about it? The newspaper and radio stations can make or break a team. You can put in larger articles and more pictures and let the people of the area know that there are girls in this community that are trying to make a school and parents proud of them. We have girls, in all the schools, that are equal, if not better, than some of our boy athletes.

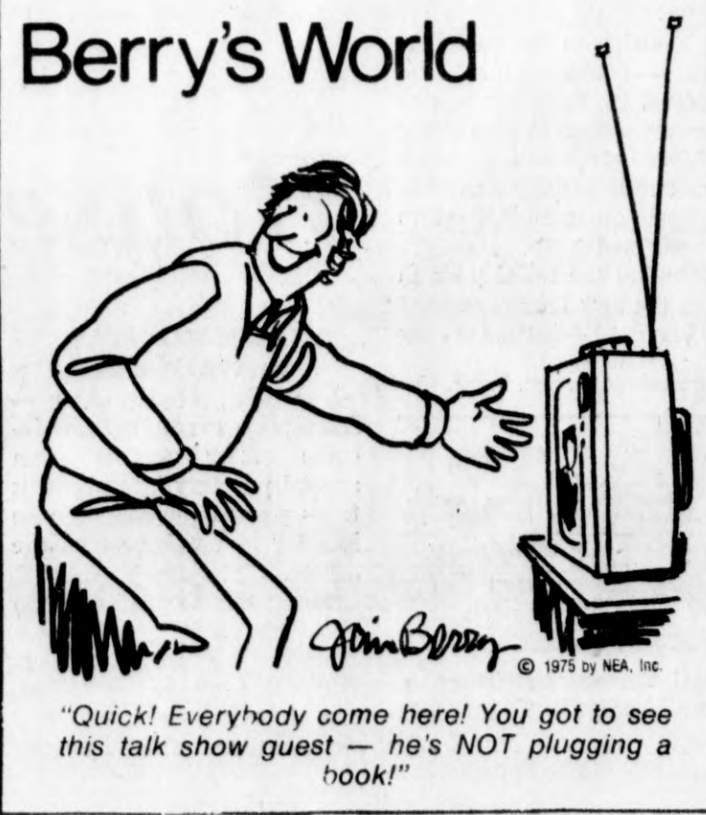
Maybe next year, some Lakeshore parents will join the St. Joe parents and together maybe we can get more coverage for Lakeshore.

Mrs. Douglas King
911 Church street
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Council Takes Up Soviet Persecution

NAIROBI, Kenya (AP) — The assembly of the World Council of Churches assembly struggled today with the explosive issue of religious restrictions in the Soviet Union. Russian Orthodox leaders said the issue could isolate them from the rest of Christianity.

It was the first time the assembly had openly faced the question of whether to censure the Soviet government for impeding religious liberty.



Ray Cromley

Expect No Decisive Presidential Choice



WASHINGTON — (NEA) — One of my minor political acquaintances once told me his strategy in any contest was simple. Stir things up by any means possible, then watch for any breaks the turmoil offered. It is not my belief that this is President Ford's objective in his all-out drive against the hidebound regulatory agencies, new and old. His emotions on regulations ran too high. His interest in the subject is too old — begun well before he'd developed a presidential political strategy. But the results may be similar, all the same, to the stir-things-up strategy of my old acquaintance.

What seems clear is that Mr. Ford will now have a great many people up in arms, crossing party and ideological lines.

What's more, Mr. Ford seems to be enjoying the turmoil immensely. Intimates say he's delighted by the kind of opposition he's getting. These are the type of political enemies he wants.

For those thinking of 1976 and the type of man they want as president, this fight on the regulatory agencies will be a testing time for Mr. Ford — far more significant as to the man's ability or lack of it than his strategy on New York City's problems.

In the next few months we will have a chance to see President Ford's political ingenuity and leadership severely challenged in a catch as catch can series of battles in which traditional foes and allies will be so crisscrossed that no second reader could possibly bring order out of the chaos.

One way or another, Mr. Ford may find in his corner such unlikely colleagues as Sen. Edward Kennedy (D-Mass.). Ralph

Nader and his consumer groups, farm associations and major environmentalists. Aligned against him may be the Teamsters, big truckers and some of the men who have been among his major backers in industry.

At immediate stake is the success or failure of Mr. Ford's attack on the noose-like regulations which control the trucking business, largely, his aides say, for the benefit of established companies.

Simultaneously, there will be battles over Ford administration bills defusing regulations in the airline and railroad industries.

The emotional charge of almost every group involved in each of these fields, those for and those against whatever Mr. Ford or anyone else proposes, is so great it may be virtually impossible, this year and next, to determine the facts. All of which will leave both congressmen and voters largely confused as to where the truth lies.

On his side, the President has gathered a team of young men as ideologically committed and as fervent as Nader's raiders or president Kennedy's Irish mafia. Some have spent their entire working lives in private research, as college professors and in government developing their objectives and dreaming what changes they would make in government regulation of industry and the economy if opportunity should come their way.

The stakes for us all are great. Today's regulations, some foolish, some wise but made foolish by petty minded bureaucrats, some so complicated they invite corruption — cost us billions each year and too frequently reduce our quality of life.

Jeffrey Hart

Sex And The 1st Amendment



No one has been more relentless than the contemporary liberal in asserting the claims of the erotic against all social and cultural restraint.

The liberal reads the First Amendment as legitimizing a flood of pornography. From Alfred Kinsey to Masters and Johnson, he employs "science" to advance the cause of erotic liberation. For the liberal it is not enough that a college campus be coeducational; it is a virtual imperative that the sexes inhabit the same dormitory together.

Why? The answer I think lies in a remark someone once made about D.H. Lawrence — that sex is the "mysticism of materialism."

I take this to mean that, in a thoroughly materialist and secular culture, sex is a principal way of seeking relief from "ordinary consciousness." The round of ordinary hours and days inevitably becomes a burden, and the human psyche seeks some relief.

It is therefore quite possible to see a profound connection between this use of sex in the materialist and secular culture inhabited by — indeed created by — the liberal, and the desperate search for other materialist modes of transcendence. Hard drugs thus become a middle class problem.

In a recent talk, the British writer Malcolm Muggeridge provided the following pertinent but chilling reflections:

"How I envy the Gibbon who, looking back across the centuries at the decline and fall of our Western civilization, as Gibbon himself did on that of Rome, will remark on how, as we systematically destroyed, or allowed to be destroyed, all the values and restraints of the Christian way of life which we had inherited, we remain convinced that each innovation, each new assault on marital fidelity, the sanctity of the home and the responsibilities of parenthood, was bound to be conducive to our well-being and enlightenment."

"There is a nightmare which from time to time afflicts me. I find myself in a BBC studio

deep underground, while up above the mushroom cloud gathers and the last vestiges of civilized life disappear.

"In our studio, the discussion proceeds, and a lady participant with a particularly shrill voice is insisting that if only the school age might be raised to 20 and the age of consent lowered to ten, if only birth pills could be distributed to Brownies with their morning milk and extended to tiny tots in the play schools, if only marriage counseling might begin with the cradle and 'Lady Chatterley's Lover' got into the comics, all would yet be well."

In the light of these antics, it is difficult to resist the conclusion that Western man, having wearied of the struggle by himself, has decided to abolish himself."

It is surely inevitable that the liberal and his secular culture will play a high price for an eroticism amounting to sheer superstition. Serious civilizations, indeed all historical civilizations, have placed a variety of restraints on sex, not because they are prudish or "repressed," but because human experience has demonstrated how profoundly sex is involved with the structure of the personality.

I notice that Charles Manson, that dark parody of 1960s liberalism, systematically broke down the personality structure of his followers, and did so chiefly through indiscriminate and polymorphous sex.

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on split shifts to reduce overtime. The split shifts were not utilized last year.

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Then there was \$10 "for the love of Sam," a name that's no stranger to the Good Fellow rolls. And another \$10 came from the Anderson family.

A gift of \$5 crossed state lines. It came from James (Vic) Green who lives in Illinois — not in an ordinary residence but at Hines V.A. hospital Ward G-256-N, Hines, Ill., 60141.

With people like Vic Green backing us, we "can't lose," Santa noted. "Vic's become an annual contributor because he wants to see everyone have a happy Christmas."

Christmas is less than three weeks away, and the fund still

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has a long way to go to meet its assignment of concentrating on gifts for the elderly and shut-ins.

Santa announced previously that a majority of this year's contributions will go to needy senior citizens. And a portion will still go to families whose circumstances have been checked to assure gifts are needed and will be well used.

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Candlelight Vespers Open Solemn Season

By ARLYS DERRICK
Women's Editor

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The vespers which act as the traditional opening of the solemn season of Christmas in the twin cities, were held in the First Congregational church of Benton Harbor.

From the pre-service music of Keith Rasmussen, organist, through the recessional, "Silent Night," sung by Monday Musical chorus and the congregation, the beautiful music performed told the story of Christ's birth.

The Christmas scripture from St. Luke and St. Matthew, narrated by Jeanne Dwan, highlighted the solemnity of the season.

Inspired solos by Marilyn Lee who sang Roger's "The Virgin Slumber Song" and "Alleluia" by Mozart and by Dolores Guntz who sang the Bach-Gounod "Ave Maria" with the chorus were implemented by the beautiful flute solo, "Greensleeves" by Lissa Ray and the violin obligato by Fred Erbach with the "Ave Maria."

New this year was the special charm of the bell ringers of the host church.

Cathedral Ringers performed "Bell Jubilee," Ellen Jane Lorenz, and "Prelude and Etude," Eugene Butler.

Selections by the Celebration Ringers included "Fanfare for

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Bells, Mary McCleary, and "Praise The God Of Heaven Above," Howard Starks.

The chorus sang the processional, "O, Come All You Faithful" with the congregation and "Where Is The Child Today, Today" by Rhea was narrated by Doris Parr and highlighted by the flute of Lissa Ray.

Other selections by the chorus included "Gloria, Gloria," Caldwell; "A Song In The Air," Englert; "I Sing Noel," Boch;

"Roundelay Noel," Merman Young; "As It Fell Upon A Night," Davis, and "Jesus Christ Is Born Today," Ringwald.

Marian Iannelli was program chairman and Mary Schlabach was chorus director.

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Benefit



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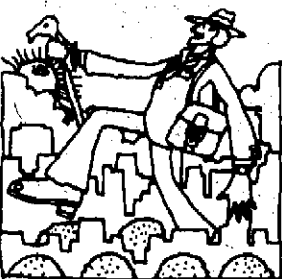
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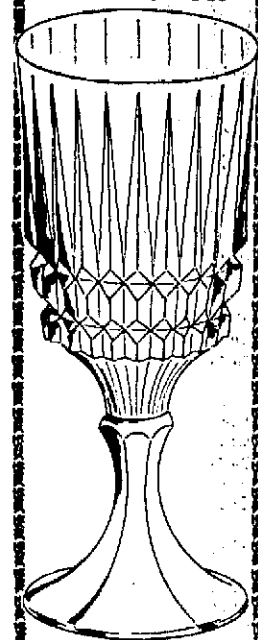
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Candlelight Vespers Open Solemn Season

By ARLYS DERRICK
Women's Editor

Candlelight, evergreens, red ribbons, and the red flowers of Christmas formed the setting for Monday Musical club's 44th annual vespers Sunday.

The vespers which act as the traditional opening of the solemn season of Christmas in the twin cities, were held in the First Congregational church of Benton Harbor.

From the pre-service music of Keith Rasmussen, organist, through the recessional, "Silent Night," sung by Monday Musical chorus and the congregation, the beautiful music performed told the story of Christ's birth.

The Christmas scripture from St. Luke and St. Matthew, narrated by Jeanne Dwan, highlighted the solemnity of the season.

Inspired solos by Marilyn Lee who sang Reger's "The Virgin Slumber Song" and "Alleluiah" by Mozart and by Dolores Gunn who sang the Bach-Gounod "Ave Maria" with the chorus were implemented by the beautiful flute solo, "Greensleeves" by Lissa Ray and the violin obligato by Fred Erbach with the "Ave Maria."

New this year was the special charm of the bell ringers of the host church.

Cathedral Ringers performed "Bell Jubilee," Ellen Jane Lorenz, and "Prelude and Etude," Eugene Butler.

Selections by the Celebration Ringers included "Fanfare for

\$366.58 Is Offering For Good Fellows

The spirit of Christmas giving brought \$366.58 for the twin cities Good Fellows funds in the offering taken Sunday at the 44th annual Monday Musical club vespers in First Congregational church of Benton Harbor.

Traditionally the offering is divided between the two funds and this year the Benton Harbor Area Good Fellow fund will receive \$244.38 with \$122.20 for the St. Joseph Area Good Fellow fund, according to Mrs. Roy (Doris) Parr, president of the club who also gave the welcome at the vespers.

Bells, Mary McCleary, and "Praise The God Of Heaven Above," Howard Starks.

The chorus sang the processional, "O, Come All You Faithful" with the congregation and "Where Is The Child Today, Today" by Rhea was narrated by Doris Parr and highlighted by the flute of Lissa Ray.

Other selections by the chorus included "Gloria, Gloria," Caldwell; "A Song In The Air," Englert; "I Sing Noel," Boch;

"Roundelay Noel," Merman-Young; "As It Fell Upon A Night," Davis, and "Jesus Christ Is Born Today," Ring-wold.

Marian Iannelli was program chairman and Mary Schlabach was chorus director.

Accompanists included Anna B. Haupt and Barbara Sickert.

Monday Musical club is a member of both the national and state Federations of Music Clubs.

Benefit



COOKIE SALE: Berrien General hospital auxiliary, Berrien Center, will hold a cookie sale Thursday, Dec. 11, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the hospital chapel. The public is invited. Proceeds will be used to purchase the auxiliary's annual gift to the hospital. This year, a monitor defibrillator will be purchased for the hospital's mobile emergency cart. The defibrillator uses electric current to regain a heart's normal beating after the patient has suffered a heart attack. From left are, Mrs. John Gillette, chairman, and Mrs. Ronald Lange, auxiliary member. The auxiliary will also hold its annual Christmas party for the hospital patients Monday, Dec. 15.

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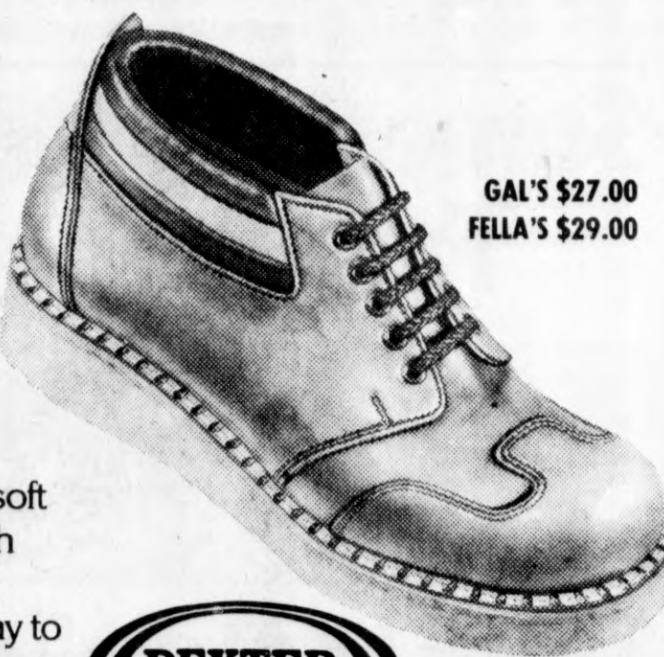
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Also Mrs. May Rouse, chancellor; Mrs. Leo Miller, marshal; Mrs. Martin Mitch, inner-sentinel; Mrs. Grace Liska, outer-sentinel, and Mrs. Elmer Clark, manager.

Easy Dessert For Four

Combine an undrained 8 1/2 ounce can crushed pineapple with 1/2 cup sugar, 2 teaspoons cornstarch and 1/4 teaspoon salt. Cook and stir until mixture boils and thickens. Cool. Fold in 1 1/2 cups cooked rice and 1/2 cup heavy cream beaten stiff. Chill. Makes dessert for four.

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Charity Ball Is Gala Event



FOR SAMARITAN CENTER: Sparkling with gay decorations, Berrien Hills country club was setting Dec. 5 for the 17th annual Charity ball sponsored by Women's Service League Benevolences. Proceeds this year will go to the Samaritan center, a non-profit counseling center located in the First Congregational church of Benton Harbor and the Stevensville Methodist church. The center which serves all of Berrien county is designed to help people under stress with trained personnel working with young children adolescents, families, and individuals. Among those attending the ball

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'Your Problems' By Ann Landers

Scars Of Early Experiences

Dear Ann Landers: I have struggled with this letter for several days, trying to put it in language you can print. This is the best I can do. The subject: Relatives and the Sexual Exploitation of Children.

I am 23 now and have vivid memories of three such experiences. The first was an uncle. I was only six years old at the time. He followed me into the bathroom when we were alone in the house and took sexual liberties with me. I was warned not to say anything to anyone, or something "bad" would happen to me. I didn't realize what he was doing and was just plain terrified. I never told a soul.

The second encounter was with my own father when I was 11 years of age. I would rather not go into the details of that soul-searing experience. I never told anyone about it because I was afraid it might destroy my mother.

The third was a friend of my parents. I was 14. He was drunk, had passed out in our house

during a party and came to my bedroom at dawn. It's hard to believe I was so naive. I never told a soul what happened. I realize now I could have become pregnant.

I will be 23 years of age next week and just lost a boyfriend I really cared about. Our romance lasted only three months because I'm afraid to let a man get close to me.

How can these hideous experiences be avoided? The answer is education. Parents should talk freely to their children about the sanctity and privacy of their bodies. Children should be instructed at an early age (four isn't too soon) not to allow anyone — friend, neighbor, or relative — to take liberties with their bodies. Moreover, children should be told that if anyone tries to get intimate to report it to a parent at once.

I know now that I was severely damaged by those early sexual experiences. I know, too, that every day some innocent child is being exploited

in every state in the union. Please, Ann, print this letter and help open the eyes of both parents and children. It's a wonderful opportunity to educate millions. Thank you. — A Victim

Dear Friend: You are the one who should be thanked. I hope every parent and child who reads this column will pay close attention.

You didn't ask for any personal advice but I feel compelled to offer it. If you haven't considered therapy to help resolve the problems created by YOUR early traumatic experiences, I hope you will do so immediately.

Hang Picture

Dear Ann Landers: A close friend has taken up oil painting as a hobby. She claims it has done her more good than three years with a shrink. Last week she surprised us with a housegift — a beautifully framed monstrosity for our living room. The canvas is enormous and



ANN LANDERS

the painting looks like either a barn that has caught fire or an industrial accident — depending on your imagination. My husband says we MUST hang it for a while at least. I can't bear the thought, yet I'd hate to hurt her feelings. She's a dear per-

son. Please advise. — Torn

Dear Torn: Sounds like a great conversation piece. Hang it for a while — then rotate your art (many people do this) and move the picture to a closet shelf.

Don't flunk your chemistry test. Love is more than one set of glands culling to another. If you have trouble making a distinction you need Ann's booklet, "Love or Sex and How To Tell the Difference." Send a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope with your request and 50 cents in coin to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 1400, Elgin, Ill. 60120.

Holiday Concert

NEW BUFFALO — The New Buffalo high school Christmas band concert will be presented in the high school gymnasium Thursday, Dec. 11, at 8 p.m. under the direction of Thomas Hoels.

The public is invited.

SMC Play To Open



COLLEGE PRODUCTION: Tickets are now available for the Southwestern Michigan college production of N. Richard Nash's play "Echoes," which will open at the college for a three night run, beginning Wednesday, Dec. 10. The production is the first at SMC to involve only SMC student actors. Patrick Fetherston, SMC community services assistant and director of the play, sells a ticket to Barbara Wood Hunziker, secretary of the SMC board of trustees. All seats will be general admission. Tickets are available in the college business office and will be sold at the door of each performance.

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By Oswald & James Jacoby

The forcing two bid with the best two notrump response was invented by Theodore Lightner, Waldemar von Zedlitz and Oswald Jacoby back in 1929. Here is a hand that led us to that invention.

Jacoby, who sat South, opened one spade. He hoped that he would get a second chance and he did when the unfortunate East player responded with two clubs. Young Jacoby simply jumped to seven hearts.

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Experts used it for about 20 years and then started to get away from it because of two weaknesses. The first was that you used four bids to cover the few hands that warranted an opening force. The second, that the negative two notrump response tended to make the wrong hand declarer at notrump.

In the next articles we will show how the experts have found ways to handle forcing opening bids in better manner.

Ask the Jacobys

A Nebraska reader wants to know if many experts use a one club opening as a forcing bid.

The answer to this question is that a very small number do. Probably about 50 of the top thousand life masters. If you want to use that as your criterion.

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Dr. Lester Coleman



My family never like my husband from the day we were married six years ago. It is true that he has bad temper tantrums, but I think it is not fair for them to call him, in his presence, a "schizophrenic." Do you agree?

Mrs. T.G., Del.

Dear Mrs. G.: I mostly certainly agree that your family does not have the right to call your husband a "schizophrenic."

Unfortunately, this descriptive term is used far more often than it should by people who are not qualified or who do not understand its meaning.

I believe it is audacious for anyone without highly specialized medical knowledge to use the word "paranoid" or "schizophrenic" to describe a person whose behavior may not be entirely acceptable.

Actually, schizophrenia is a tragic mental disorder, both to the patient and to those around him. The misconception about this condition is so great that the American Schizophrenia Foundation has been created, in an effort to break down the "family shame" so often associated with this and other types of mental illness.

Their educational campaigns urge that all mental illness be brought out in the open so that they can be attacked without shame or stigma.

It is obvious that a great deal of hostility exists within the framework of your family. Undoubtedly, labeling your husband a "schizophrenic" does not modify his temper tantrums.

Perhaps his personal insecurity and his feelings of social inadequacy are made worse by such attitudes on the part of your family.

Your own physician and a psychiatrist or psychologist may be able to find the reason for the uncontrollable temper tantrums.

You should see to it that your family is dissociated from the intimacies of your married life. By their hostile behavior to him they can only erode, corrode and even destroy any chances that you might have for helping him

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Art Students Plan Show

NEW BUFFALO — New Buffalo elementary students will hold an art show Thursday, Dec. 11, at West elementary school from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Parents and friends are invited, according to Robert Heit, principal.

Try Eggwich For Change

Tired of the same humdrum sandwiches? Then try Chicken 'n' Eggwiches.

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'Messiah' Saturday At AU

BERRIEN SPRINGS — Andrews University Singers will present Handel's "Messiah" Saturday, Dec. 13, at 4 p.m. in the church on the AU

campus. With the accompaniment of the AU chamber orchestra, the choir will perform the Hallelujah Chorus and the

Christmas section of the "Messiah" in a 75-minute concert.

Directing will be Dr. Franklin Lusk, associate professor of music.

Soloists will be Susan LaRosa, soprano, senior voice major; Diane Staples, contralto, graduate student; Barry Edwards, tenor, graduate student, and Vernon Andrews, bass, doctoral student.

Dr. Hans-Jorgen Holman, professor of music, will perform with the orchestra at the harpsichord, and Dr. C. Warren Becker, professor of music, will accompany at the pipe organ.

The performance will utilize the Watkins Shaw Edition of the Handel Masterwork, which is based on the composer's original autograph score.

This will be a definitive performance of the Andrews university department of music, according to Dr. Lusk.

Astro-Graph

Bernice Bode Osoi

For Wednesday, Dec. 10, 1975

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Problems of your making are likely to catch up with you today. Don't complicate things further by losing your cool.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) This is not one of your better days for having financial or business dealings with friends. Somebody will come out with the short end.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) The spotlight is on you today. Others will eye you critically. Don't do anything that could tarnish your image.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Try not to pass yourself off today as being an expert in something you know little about. The mistakes will be traced back to you.

LEO (July 21-Aug. 22) Make no impulsive moves businesswise today. There's a possibility you could make a costly blunder by not knowing what you're doing.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You're likely to have trouble today in getting co-operation essential to your activities. Hold off your requests.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) Pace yourself carefully today where your work is concerned. If you try to take on too much, you'll become very frustrated.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 22) Steer as far away as possible today from anything that smacks of speculation. The odds

aren't in your favor.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Be understanding with those who come under your charge today. Dictatorial or harsh methods will gain you nothing.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Drive with both eyes on the road and both hands on the wheel today. Take your time — so what if you're a few minutes late?

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You might impulsively decide to go on a shopping spree today and bridle your wallet badly. Live within your means.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Try to avoid head-to-head confrontations today with anyone who exercises authority over you. They'll get in the last word.

Your Birthday

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‘Your Problems’ By Ann Landers

Scars Of Early Experiences

Dear Ann Landers: I have struggled with this letter for several days, trying to put it into language you can print. This is the best I can do. The subject: Relatives and the Sexual Exploitation of Children.

I am 23 now and have vivid memories of three such experiences. The first was an uncle. I was only six years old at the time. He followed me into the bathroom when we were alone in the house and took sexual liberties with me. I was warned not to say anything to anyone or something “bad” would happen to me. I didn’t realize what he was doing and was just plain terrified. I never told a soul.

The second encounter was with my own father when I was 11 years of age. I would rather not go into the details of that soul-searing experience. I never told anyone about it because I was afraid it might destroy my mother.

The third was a friend of my parents. I was 14. He was drunk, had passed out in our house

during a party and came to my bedroom at dawn. It’s hard to believe I was so naive. I never told a soul what happened. I realize now I could have become pregnant.

I will be 23 years of age next week and just lost a boyfriend I really cared about. Our romance lasted only three months because I’m afraid to let a man get close to me.

How can these hideous experiences be avoided? The answer is education. Parents should talk freely to their children about the sanctity and privacy of their bodies. Children should be instructed at an early age (four isn’t too soon) not to allow anyone — friend, neighbor, or relative — to take liberties with their bodies. Moreover, children should be told that if anyone tries to get intimate to report it to a parent at once.

I know now that I was severely damaged by those early sexual experiences. I know, too, that every day some innocent child is being exploited

in every state in the union. Please, Ann, print this letter and help open the eyes of both parents and children. It’s a wonderful opportunity to educate millions. Thank you. — A Victim

Dear Friend: You are the one who should be thanked. I hope every parent and child who reads this column will pay close attention.

You didn’t ask for any personal advice but I feel compelled to offer it. If you haven’t considered therapy to help resolve the problems created by YOUR early traumatic experiences, I hope you will do so immediately.



ANN LANDERS

son. Please advise. — Torn

Dear Torn: Sounds like a great conversation piece. Hang it for a while — then rotate your art (many people do this) and move the picture to a closet shelf.

Don’t flunk your chemistry test. Love is more than one set of glands calling to another. If you have trouble making a distinction you need Ann’s booklet, “Love or Sex and How To Tell the Difference.” Send a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope with your request and 50 cents in coin to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 1400, Elgin, Ill. 60120.

Holiday Concert

the painting looks like either a barn that has caught fire or an industrial accident — depending on your imagination. My husband says we MUST hang it for a while at least. I can’t bear the thought, yet I’d hate to hurt her feelings. She’s a dear per-

NEW BUFFALO — The New Buffalo high school Christmas band concert will be presented in the high school gymnasium Thursday, Dec. 11, at 8 p.m. under the direction of Thomas Holets.

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SMC Play To Open



COLLEGE PRODUCTION: Tickets are now available for the Southwestern Michigan college production of N. Richard Nash’s play “Echoes,” which will open at the college for a three night run, beginning Wednesday, Dec. 10. The production is the first at SMC to involve only SMC student actors. Patrick Fetherston, SMC community services assistant and director of the play, sells a ticket to Barbara Wood Hunziker, secretary of the SMC board of trustees. All seats will be general admission. Tickets are available in the college business office and will be sold at the door of each performance.

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WEST				
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West	North	East	South	
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Experts used it for about 20 years and then started to get away from it because of two weaknesses. The first was that you used four bids to cover the few hands that warranted an opening force. The second, that the negative two no trump response tended to make the wrong hand declarer at no trump.

In the next articles we will show how the experts have found ways to handle forcing opening bids in better manner.

Ask the Jacobys

A Nebraska reader wants to know if many experts use a one club opening as a forcing bid.

The answer to this question is that a very small number do. Probably about 50 of the top thousand life masters, if you want to use that as your criterion.

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Dr. Lester Coleman

My family never like my husband from the day we were married six years ago. It is true that he has bad temper tantrums, but I think it is not fair for them to call him, in his presence, a “schizophrenic.” Do you agree?

Mrs. T.G., Del.

Dear Mrs. G.: I mostly certainly agree that your family does not have the right to call your husband a “schizophrenic.”

Unfortunately, this descriptive term is used far more often than it should by people who are not qualified or who do not understand its meaning.

I believe it is audacious for anyone without highly specialized medical knowledge to use the word “paranoid” or “schizophrenic” to describe a person whose behavior may not be entirely acceptable.

Actually, schizophrenia is a tragic mental disorder, both to the patient and to those around him. The misconception about this condition is so great that the American Schizophrenia Foundation has been created, in an effort to break down the “family shame” so often associated with this and other types of mental illness.

Their educational campaigns urge that all mental illness be brought out in the open so that they can be attacked without shame or stigma.

It is obvious that a great deal of hostility exists within the framework of your family. Undoubtedly, labeling your husband a “schizophrenic” does not modify his temper tantrums.

Perhaps his personal insecurity and his feelings of social inadequacy are made worse by such attitudes on the part of your family.

Your own physician and a psychiatrist or psychologist may be able to find the reason for the uncontrollable temper tantrums.

You should see to it that your family is dissociated from the intimacies of your married life. By their hostile behavior to him they can only erode, corrode and even destroy any chances that you might have for helping him

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‘Messiah’ Saturday At AU

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With the accompaniment of the AU chamber orchestra, the choir will perform the Hallelujah Chorus and the Christmas section of the “Messiah” in a 75-minute concert.

Directing will be Dr. Franklin Lusk, associate professor of music.

Soloists will be Susan LaRosa, soprano, senior voice major; Diane Staples, contralto, graduate student; Barry Edwards, tenor, graduate student, and Vernon Andrews, bass, doctoral student.

Dr. Hans-Jorgen Holman, professor of music, will perform with the orchestra at the harpsichord, and Dr. C. Warren Becker, professor of music, will accompany at the pipe organ.

The performance will utilize the Watkins Shaw Edition of the Handel Masterwork, which is based on the composer’s original autograph score.

This will be a definitive performance of the Andrews university department of music, according to Dr. Lusk.

Astro-Graph

Bernice Bede Osol

For Wednesday, Dec. 10, 1975

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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Be understanding with those who come under your charge today. Dictatorial or harsh methods will gain you nothing.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Drive with both eyes on the road and both hands on the wheel today. Take your time — so what if you're a few minutes late?

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You might impulsively decide to go on a shopping spree today and bruise your wallet badly. Live within your means.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Try to avoid head-to-head confrontations today with anyone who exercises authority over you. They'll get in the last word.

LEO (July 21-Aug. 22) Make no impulsive moves businesswise today. There's a possibility you could make a costly blunder by not knowing what you're doing.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You're likely to have trouble today in getting co-operation essential to your activities. Hold off your requests.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Pace yourself carefully today where your work is concerned. If you try to take on too much, you'll become very frustrated.

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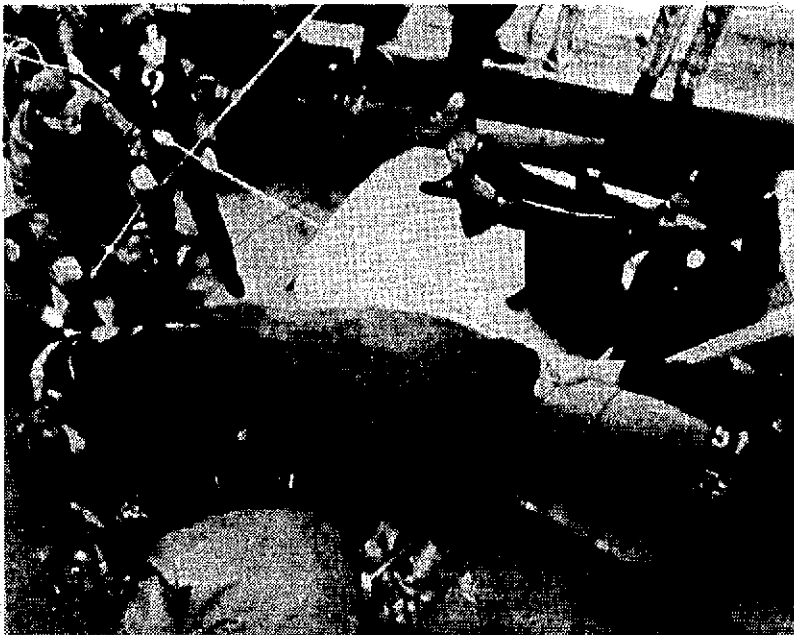
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JOB APPLICATIONS, SHOPPING

Students To Get 'Survival' Tests

DETROIT (AP) — Tests to make sure graduating Michigan high school students can do such things as apply for jobs and shop for groceries are being developed by state education officials.

"There are certain minimum skills which young people coming out of high school need in order to survive," Dr. Eugene Paslov, compensatory education director of the Michigan Department of Education said Monday.

"They must at least know how to do things like fill out an employment application, read forms and balance the family checkbook," Paslov said.

Some graduates have not been able to handle such routine chores, and state and federal spending for remedial courses designed to solve the shortcomings now amounts to \$90 million annually, he said.

The proposed tests could be ready in about three years and eventually be a requirement for graduation, state officials said.

Paslov added the tests also would deal with such diverse topics as local political affairs and grocery shopping.

"It's important that the political process in their community and be able to determine whether it's more economical to buy the small or large box of laundry detergent," he said.

In suburban Dearborn, officials are concentrating now more on practical problems rather than theoretical ones.

"Where we once were very theoretical on economics, we're now teaching more about mortgages, credit and employment,"

Fred Schreiber, director of academic education for the Dearborn schools said.

The development of tests and shift to more practical knowledge comes amid continued publicity about the deterioration of schooling.

At least one education official, Michael Deeb, assistant superintendent of the Ulica schools, says he believes schools "may be taking a bit of a rap for trying to accommodate youngsters."

"I think in many cases, it's the students who are bringing down the averages, and we're being blamed for it," Deeb said.

He blames lower test scores for reading and writing skills on society.

"People call on the phone instead of writing a letter; they watch television instead of reading," he said.

Hoffa Grand Jury Will Hear Andretta 2nd Time

DETROIT (AP) — A New Jersey Teamster who last week refused to testify before a Detroit grand jury probing the disappearance of James R. Hoffa, will be back before the grand jury Wednesday, his attorney, William J. Bufalino said Monday.

Bufalino, who represented Stephen Andretta during his last grand jury appearance, said he expected a court hearing to precede Andretta's grand jury testimony.

Robert C. Ozer, chief of the U.S. Organized Crime Strike force, said last week that the government would seek to offer Andretta immunity for his testimony.

Bufalino said he would oppose the move.

The FBI Monday dropped obstruction charges it filed Saturday against three other New Jersey Teamsters accused of refusing to appear in a federal court-ordered lineup of possible principals in the Hoffa case.

The government action, which occurred in the chambers of federal magistrate Paul Komives, drew bitter comment from Bufalino, who wanted the action to take place in open court.

Bufalino and a group of newsmen were waiting in the corridors for the courtroom to be opened when he was handed two documents reporting the FBI had asked that the obstruction of justice charges be dropped and that the U.S. Crime Task Force in Detroit had seconded the request.

An angry Bufalino said it was "a disgrace to the administration of justice," adding, "So here we stand in the hallway conducting proceedings that should have been conducted in court."

Bufalino first said he would not question the proceedings but changed his mind a few minutes later and went into Komives courtroom where he waited more than an hour for routine cases to be disposed of before the magistrate heard his oral plea.

Bufalino said he had been given only two unsigned sheets of paper and asked the court to confirm they were legitimate.

Komives said the papers had been brought to his office shortly before 2 p.m. by Ozer.

Bufalino also asked that fingerprints and photos taken of the three New Jersey Teamsters be given to them by the FBI. Komives said it was a question of law which never had come up before him and he suggested that it be presented to the presiding judge of the Detroit federal court. Bufalino said he

would pursue the request today.

The three lineup participants who were not in the court building for the legal maneuvering were Salvatore A. Brignolio, 45, of Paramus, N.J.; his brother, Gabriel, 36, of East Rutherford, N.J.; and Thomas A. Andretta, 38, of Hasbrouck Heights, N.J.

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Milliken Asks Rail Bill Support

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Gov. William Milliken has urged Michigan's 19 Congressmen to support the Omnibus Rail Bill, which passed the U.S. Senate Thursday.

The bill would increase from two years to eight the life of federal subsidies and could help keep in operation the Ann Arbor Railroad from Toledo, Ohio, to Frankfort and Kewanna, Wis.

It also would base eligibility for federal money on the proportion of threatened trackage a state has.

Michigan has 20 per cent of the total trackage threatened by abandonment in 17 northeast states because the lines were not planned for inclusion in the federal ConRail program.

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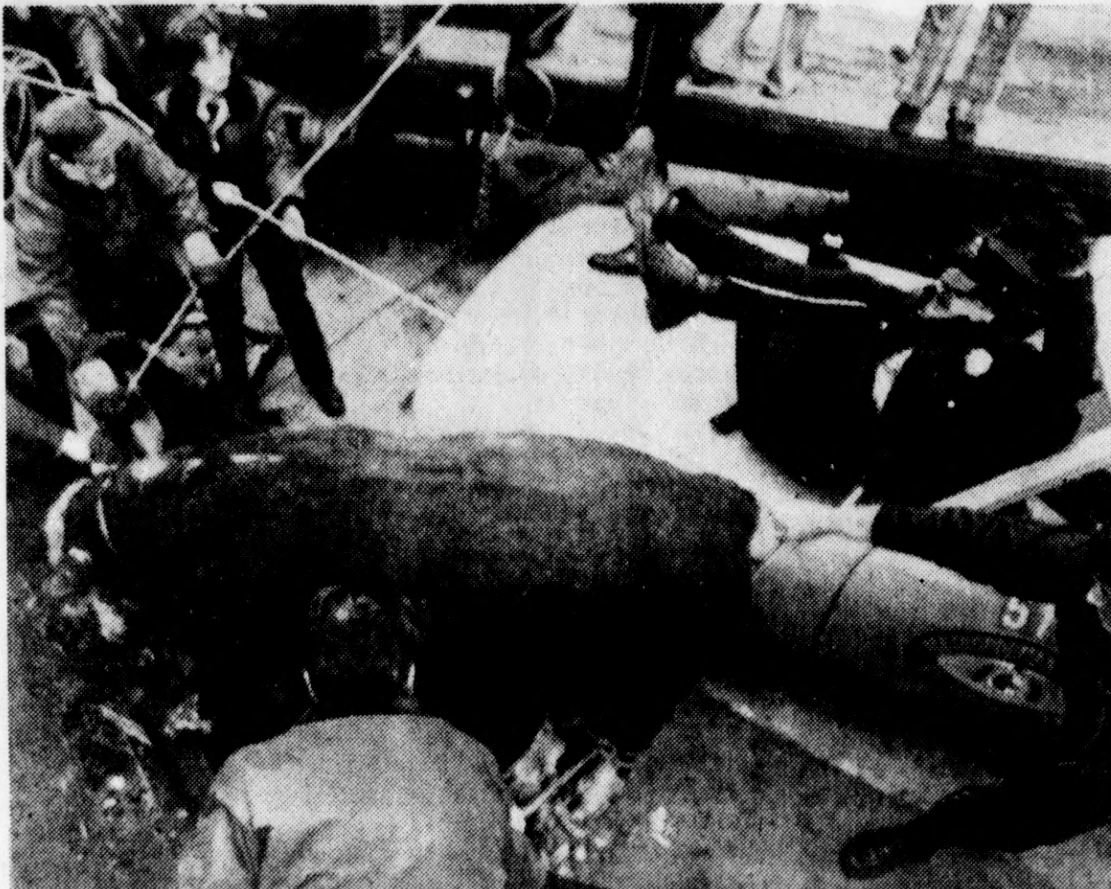
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JOB APPLICATIONS, SHOPPING

Students To Get 'Survival' Tests

DETROIT (AP) — Tests to make sure graduating Michigan high school students can do such things as apply for jobs and shop for groceries are being developed by state education officials.

"There are certain minimum skills which young people coming out of high school need in order to survive," Dr. Eugene Paslov, compensatory education director of the Michigan Department of Education said Monday.

"They must at least know how to do things like fill out an employment application, read forms and balance the family checkbook," Paslov said.

Some graduates have not been able to handle such routine chores, and state and federal spending for remedial courses designed to solve the shortcom-

ings now amounts to \$90 million annually, he said.

The proposed tests could be ready in about three years and eventually be a requirement for graduation, state officials said.

Paslov added the tests also would deal with such diverse topics as local political affairs and grocery shopping.

"It's important that they (students) know about the political process in their community and be able to determine whether it's more economical to buy the small or large box of laundry detergent," he said.

In suburban Dearborn, officials are concentrating now more on practical problems rather than theoretical ones.

"Where we once were very theoretical on economics, we're now teaching more about mortgages, credit and employment,"

Fred Schreiber, director of academic education for the Dearborn schools said.

The development of tests and shift to more practical knowledge comes amid continued publicity about the deterioration of schooling.

At least one education official, Michael Deeb, assistant superintendent of the Utica schools, says he believes schools "may be taking a bit of a rap for trying to accommodate youngsters."

"I think in many cases, it's the students who are bringing down the averages, and we're being blamed for it," Deeb said.

He blames lower test scores for reading and writing skills on society.

"People call on the phone instead of writing a letter; they watch television instead of reading," he said.

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Robert C. Ozer, chief of the U.S. Organized Crime Strike force, said last week that the government would seek to offer Andretta immunity for his testimony.

Bufalino said he would oppose the move.

The FBI Monday dropped obstruction charges it filed Saturday against three other New Jersey Teamsters accused of refusing to appear in a federal court-ordered lineup of possible principals in the Hoffa case.

The government action, which occurred in the chambers of federal magistrate Paul Komives, drew bitter comment from Bufalino, who wanted the action to take place in open court.

Bufalino and a group of newsmen were waiting in the corridors for the courtroom to

be opened when he was handed two documents reporting the FBI had asked that the obstruction of justice charges be dropped and that the U.S. Crime Task Force in Detroit had seconded the request.

An angry Bufalino said it was "a disgrace to the administration of justice," adding, "So here we stand in the hallway conducting proceedings that should have been conducted in court."

Bufalino first said he would not question the proceedings but changed his mind a few minutes later and went into Komives courtroom where he waited more than an hour for routine cases to be disposed of before the magistrate heard his oral plea.

Bufalino said he had been given only two unsigned sheets of paper and asked the court to confirm they were legitimate.

Komives said the papers had been brought to his office shortly before 2 p.m. by Ozer.

Bufalino also asked that fingerprints and photos taken of the three New Jersey Teamsters be given to them by the FBI. Komives said it was a question of law which never had come up before him and he suggested that it be presented to the presiding judge of the Detroit federal court. Bufalino said he

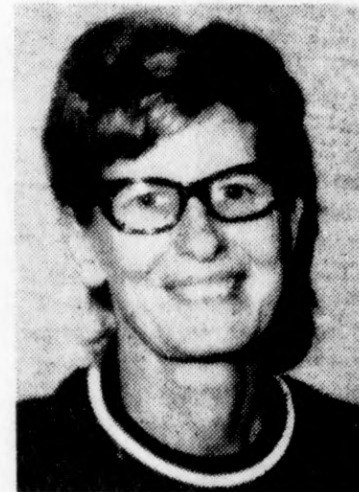
would pursue the request today.

The three lineup participants who were not in the court building for the legal maneuvering were Salvatore A. Briguglio, 45, of Paramus, N.J.; his brother, Gabriel, 36, of East Rutherford, N.J., and Thomas A. Andretta, 38, of Hasbrouck Heights, N.J.

Stephen Andretta, 33, of Little Ferry, N.J., is Thomas' brother.

Stephen Andretta also took the Fifth Amendment during his grand jury appearance last week.

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Milliken Asks Rail Bill Support

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The bill would increase from two years to eight the life of federal subsidies and could help keep in operation the Ann Arbor Railroad from Toledo, Ohio, to Frankfort and Keweenaw, Wis.

It also would base eligibility for federal money on the proportion of threatened trackage a state has.

Michigan has 20 per cent of the total trackage threatened by abandonment in 17 northeast states because the lines were not planned for inclusion in the federal ConRail program.

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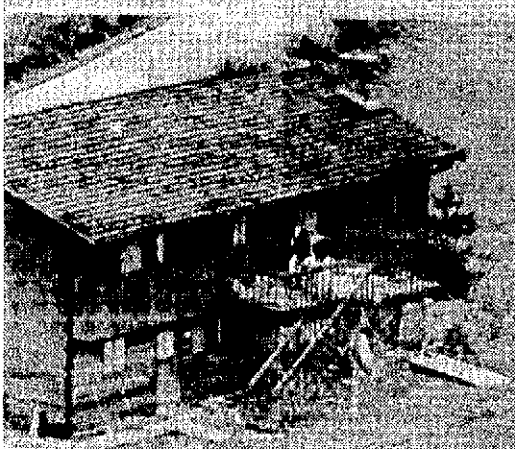
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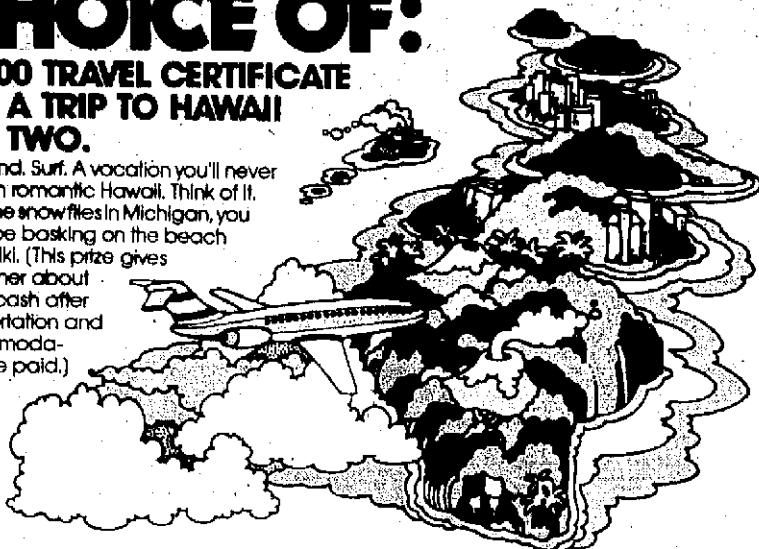
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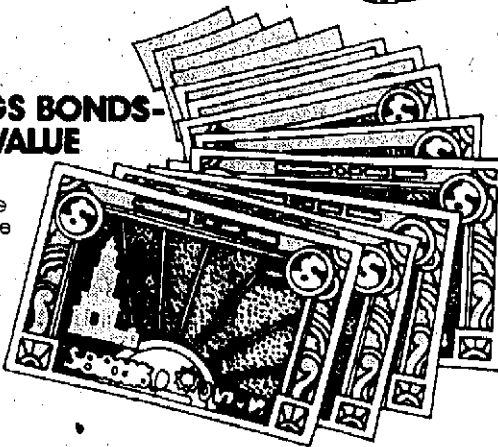
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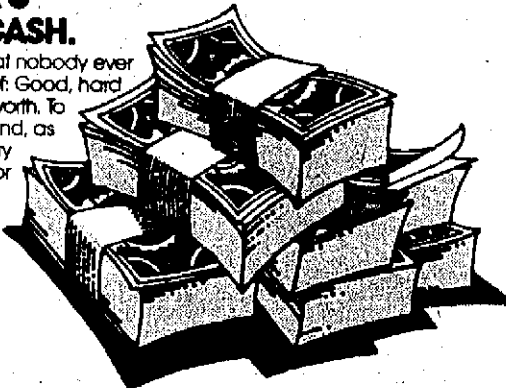
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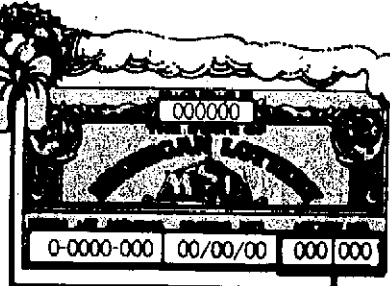
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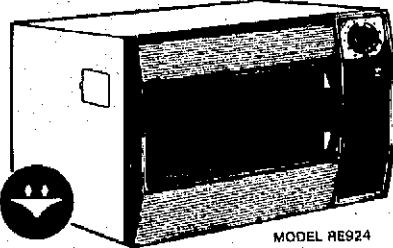
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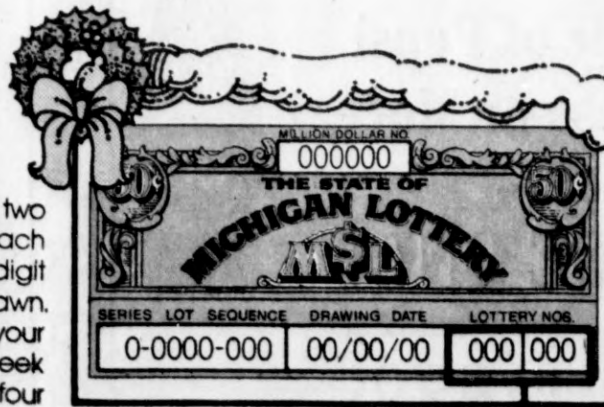
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The court already has agreed to decide whether such prisoners must be granted a hearing. In the Massachusetts case, the prisoners were given a chance to be heard. But the federal appeals court in Boston said the inmates also had a right to a summary of information prison officials had received from informers.

Over objections of Justices William J. Brennan, Potter Stewart and Thurgood

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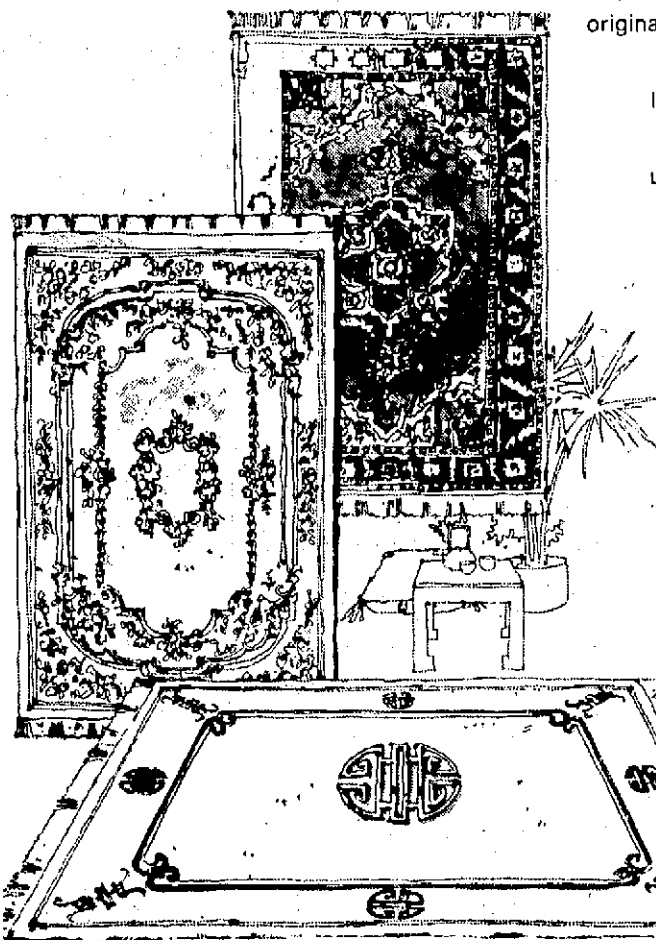
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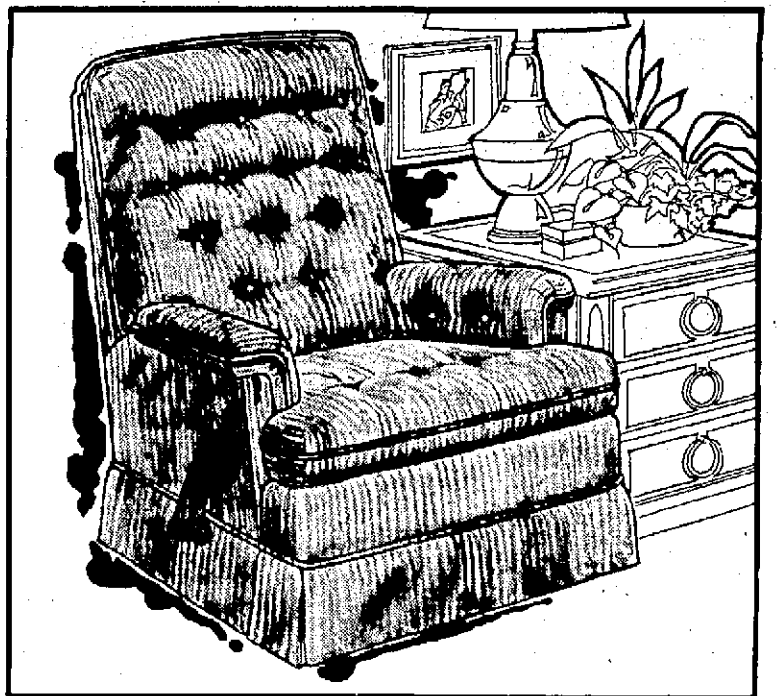
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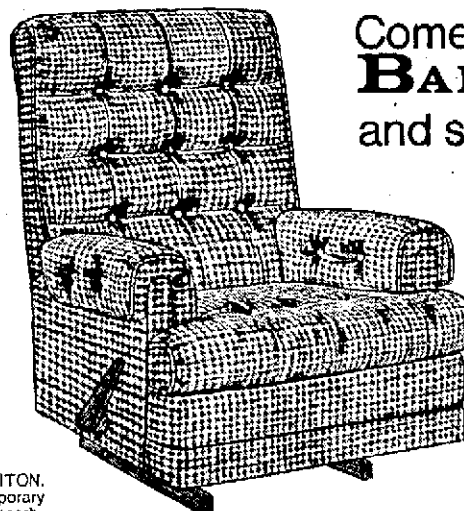


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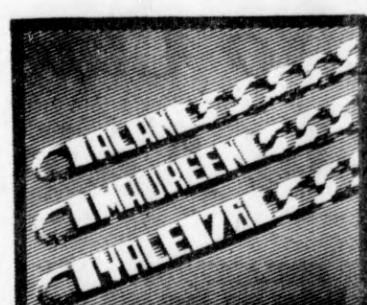
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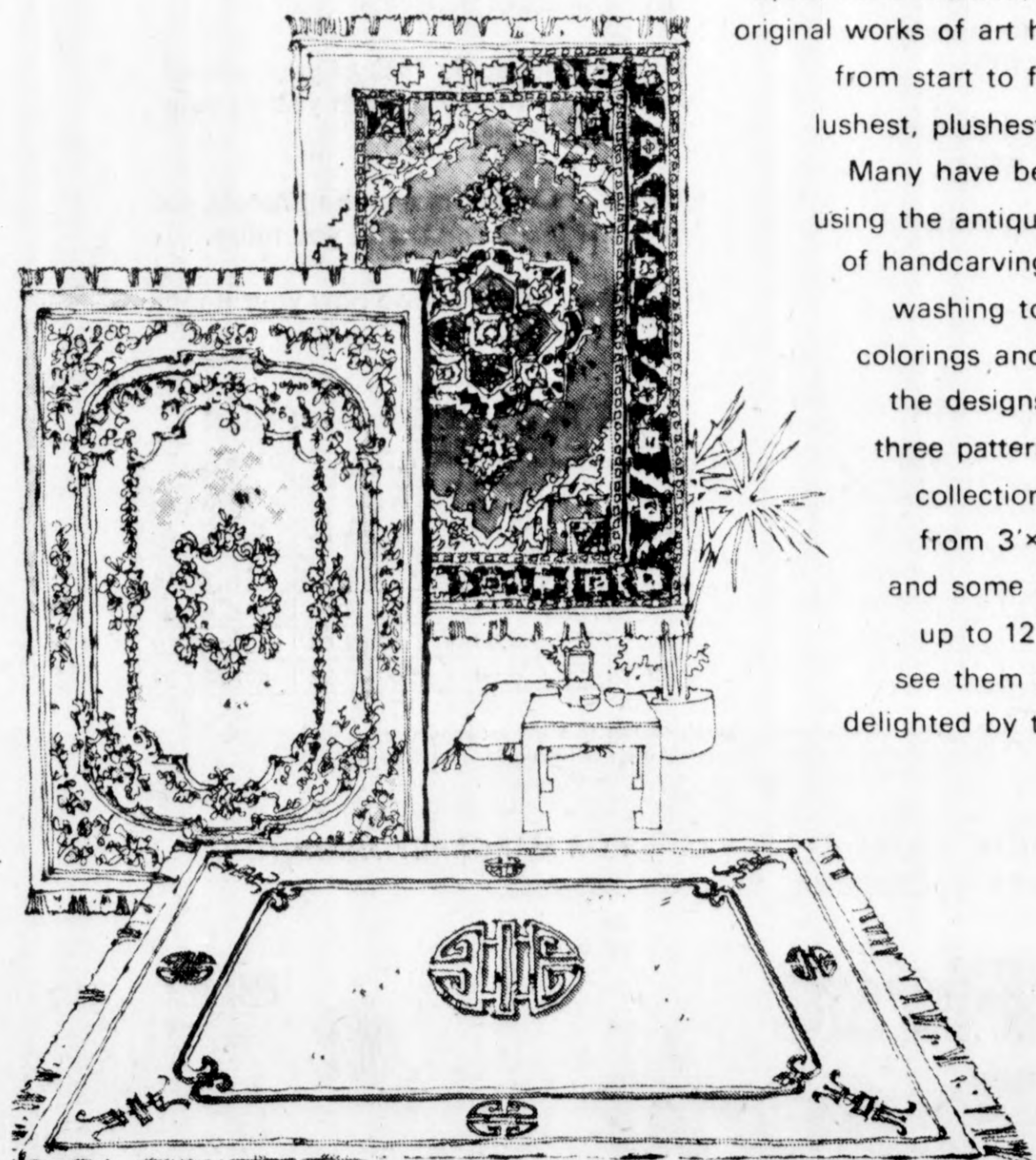
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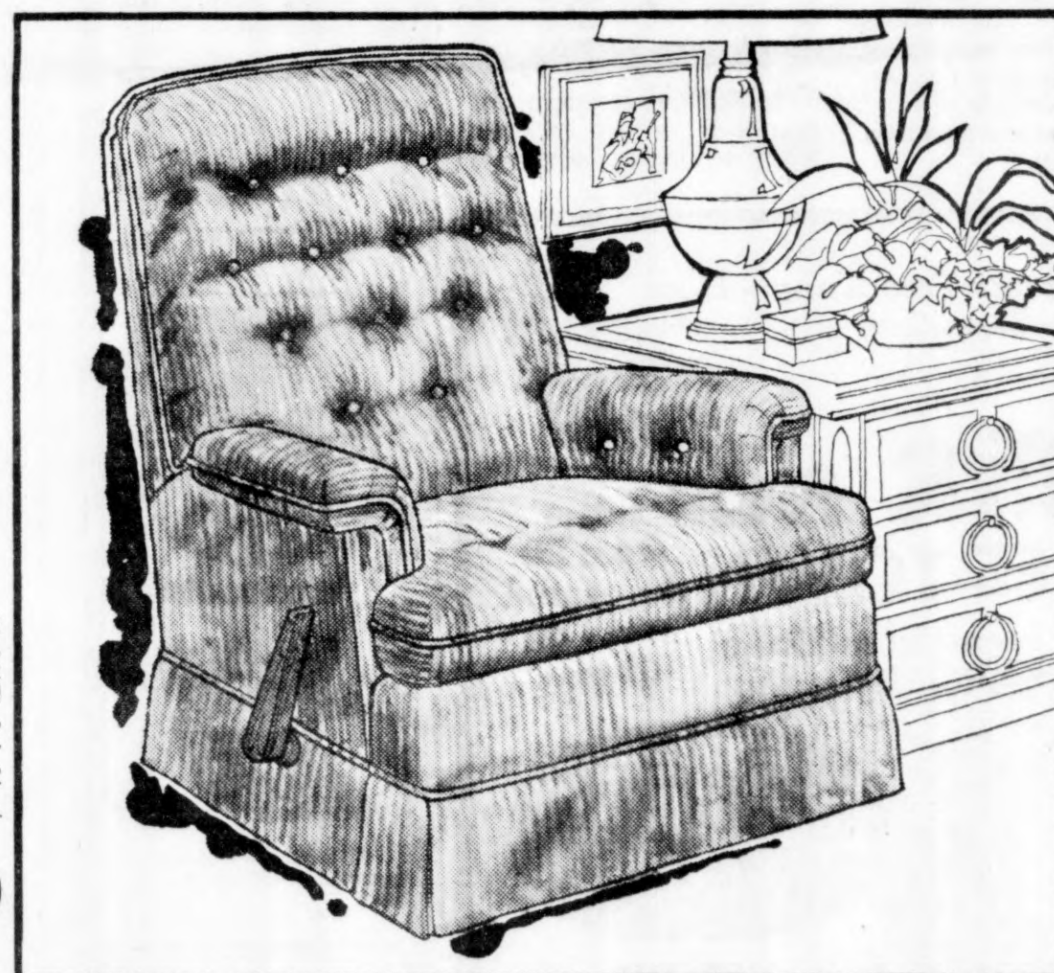


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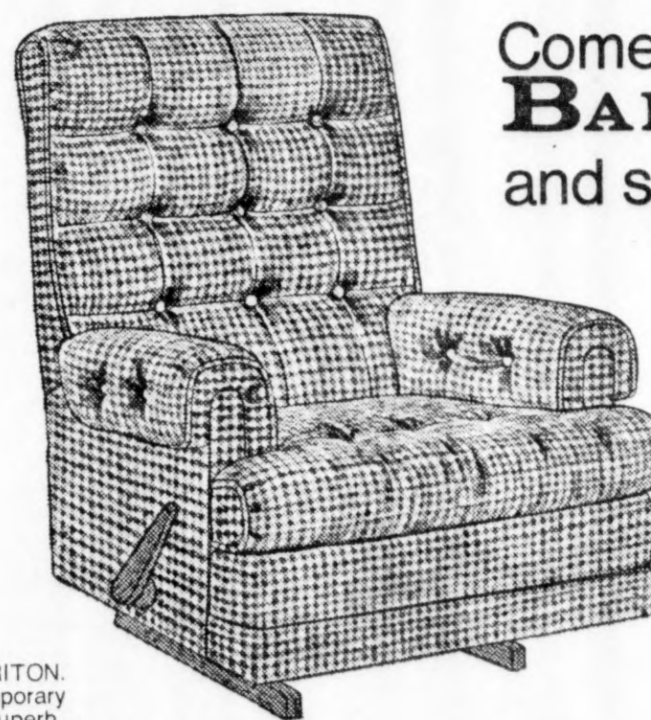
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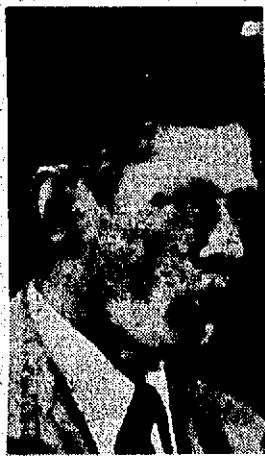
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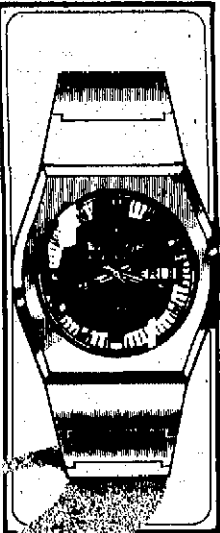


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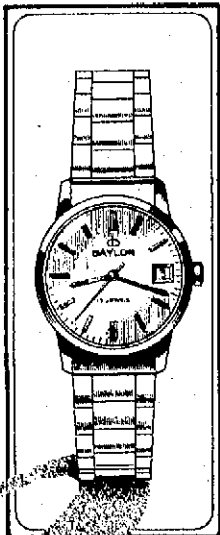
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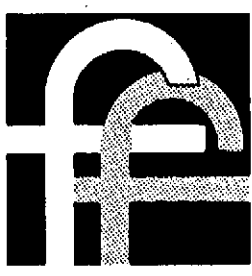
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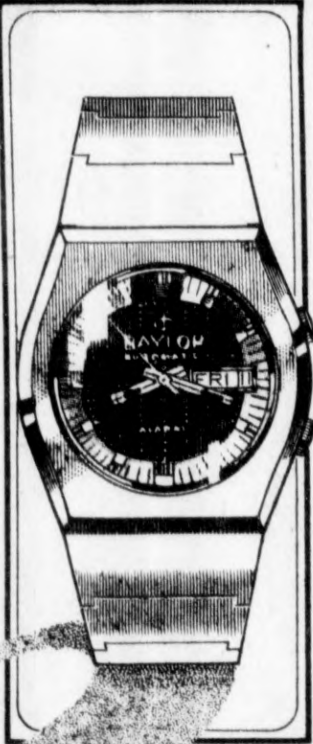


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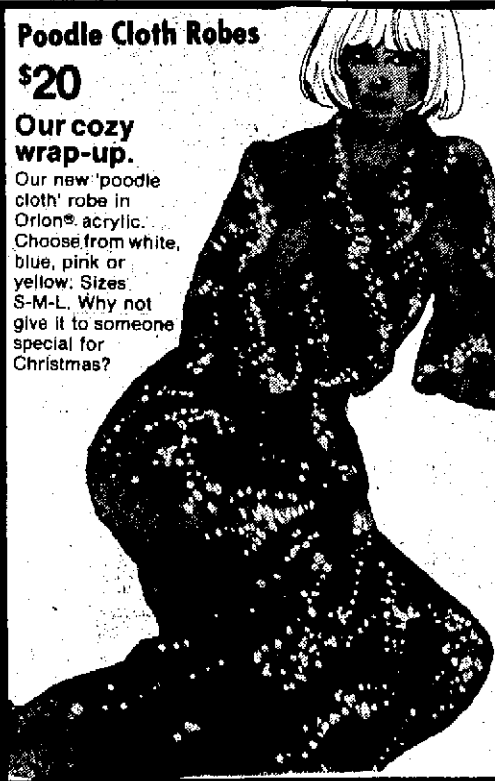


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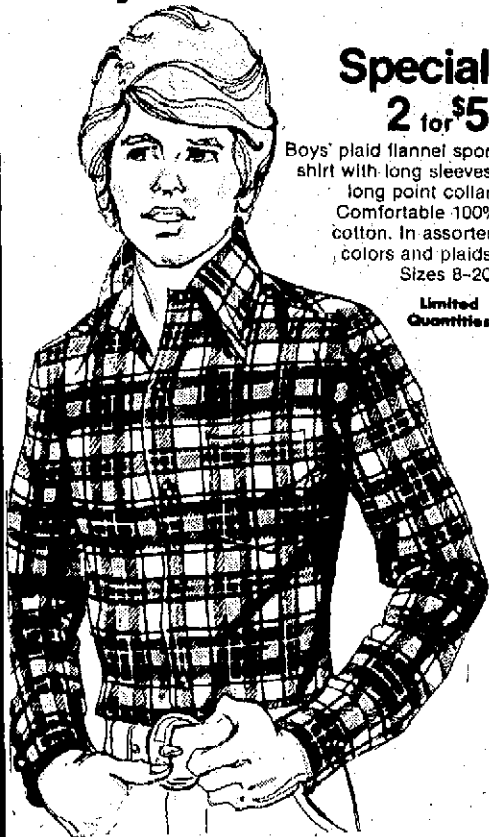
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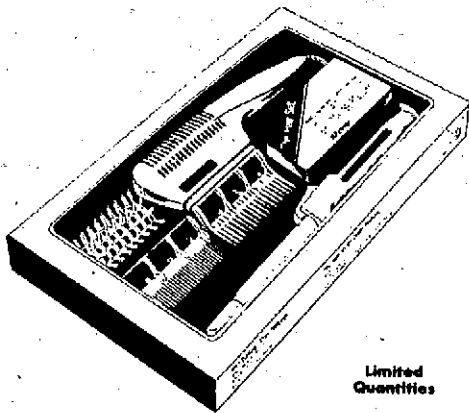


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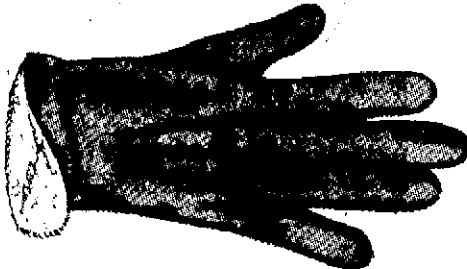


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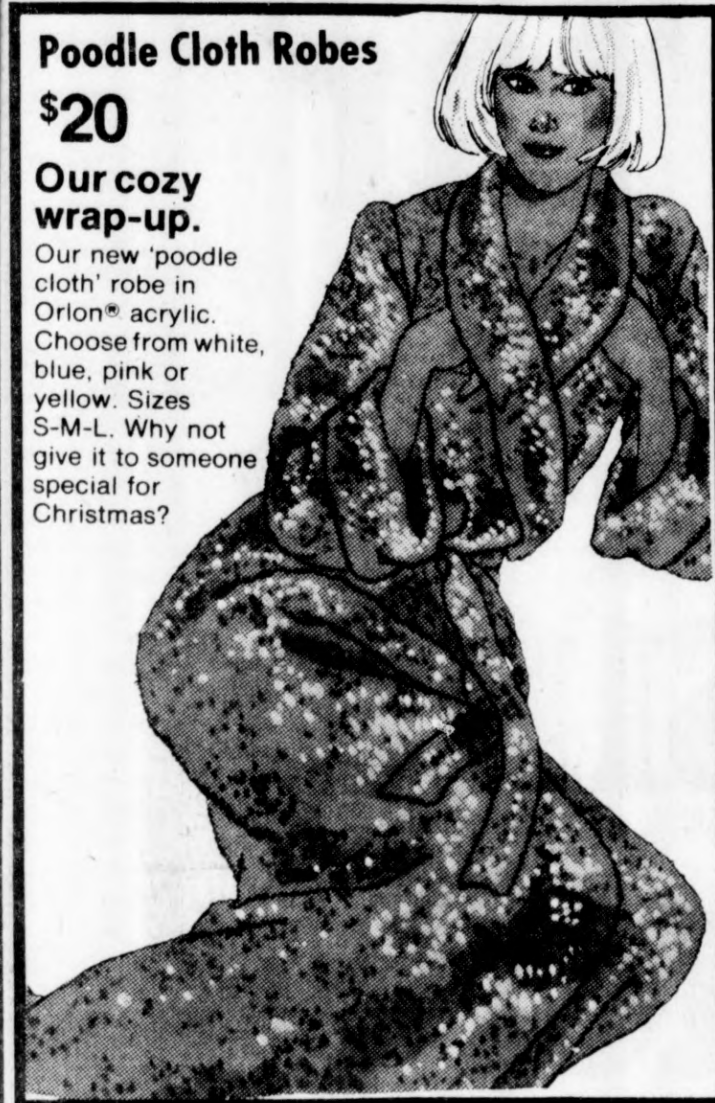


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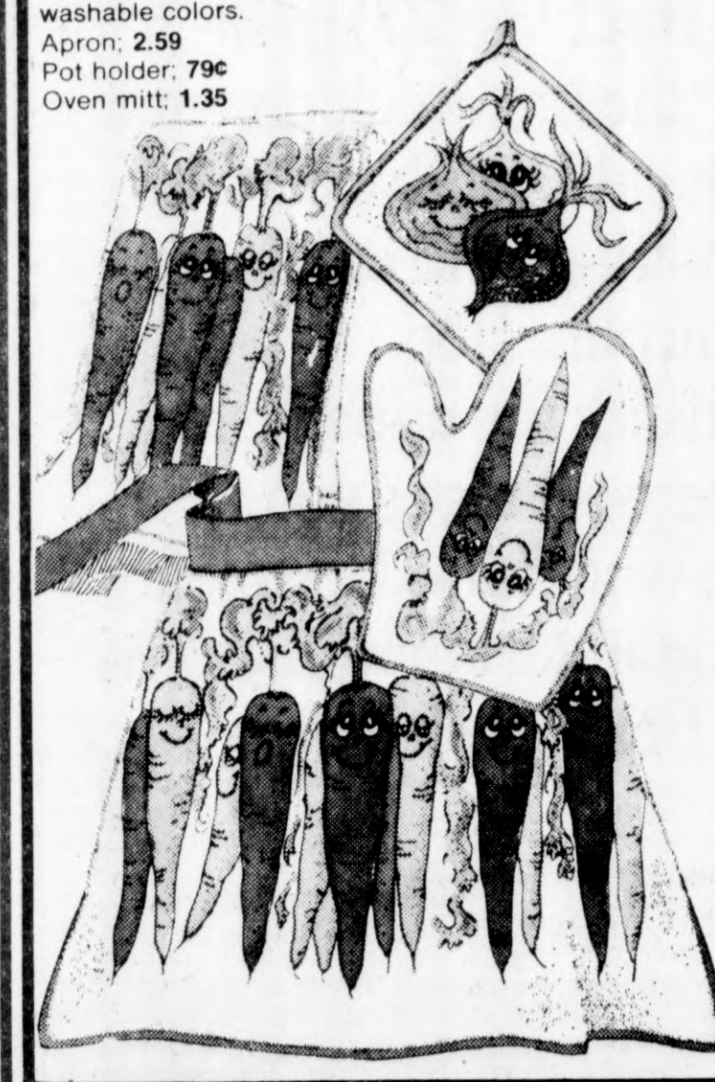
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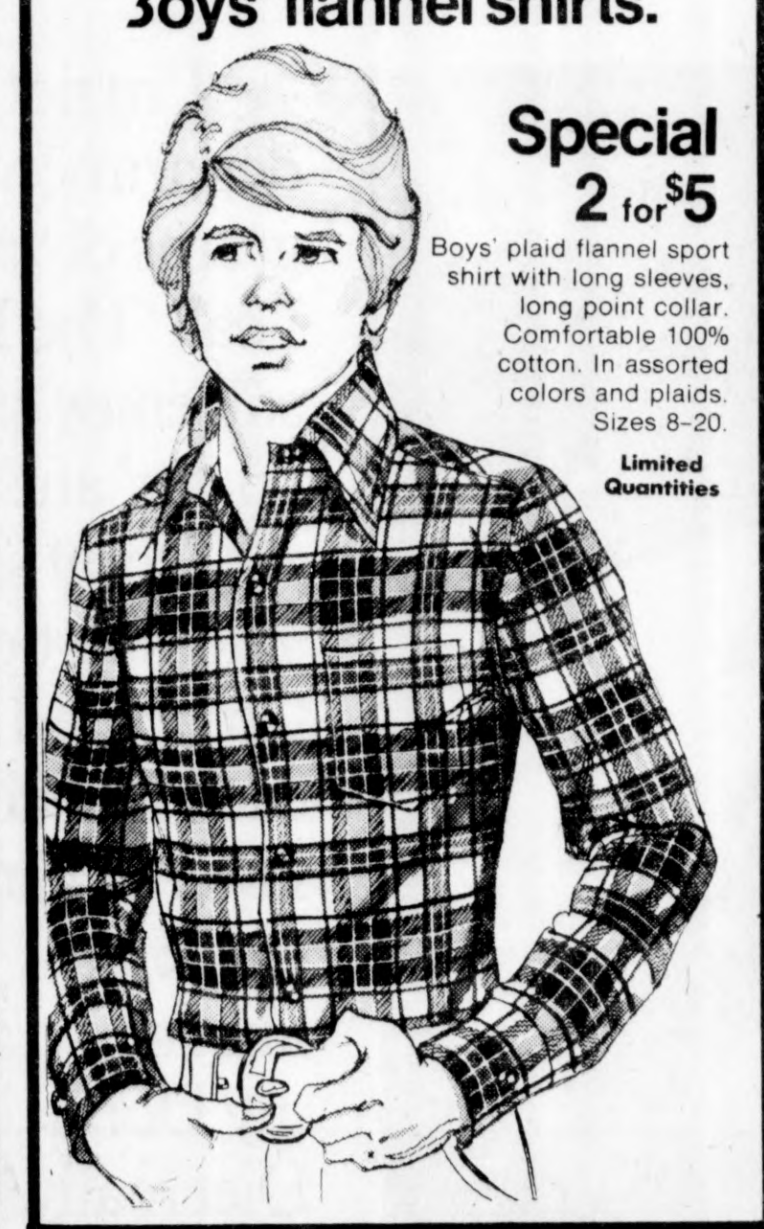
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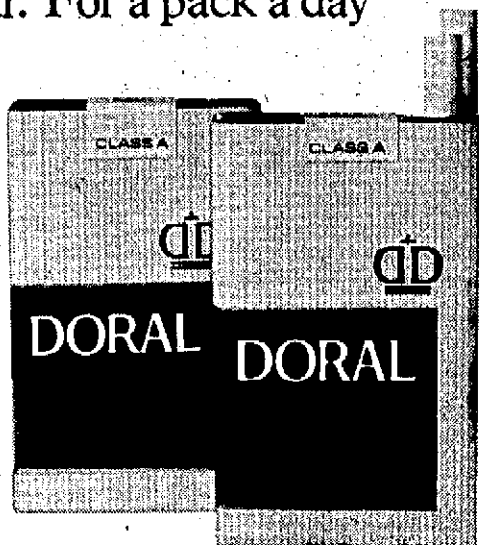
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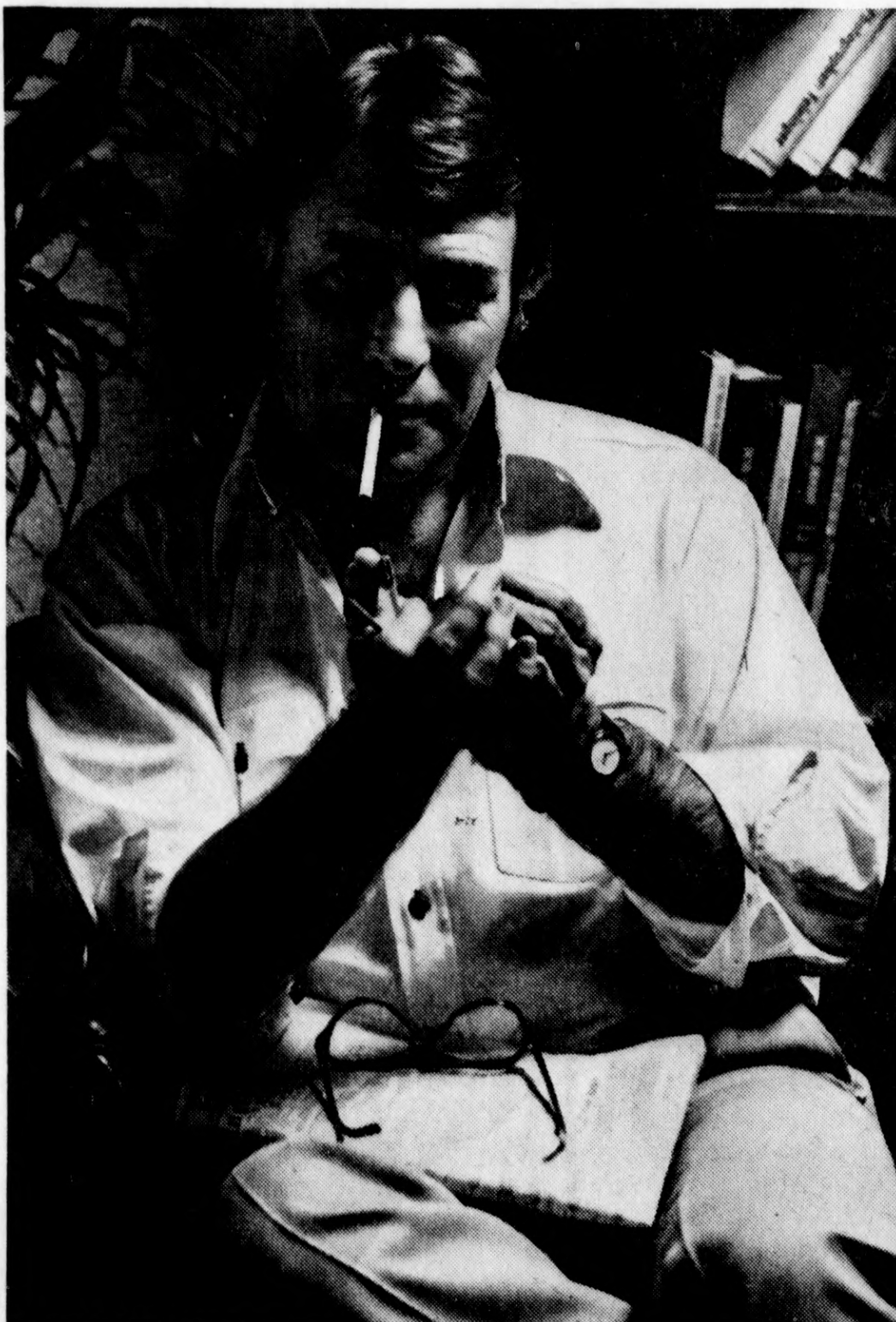
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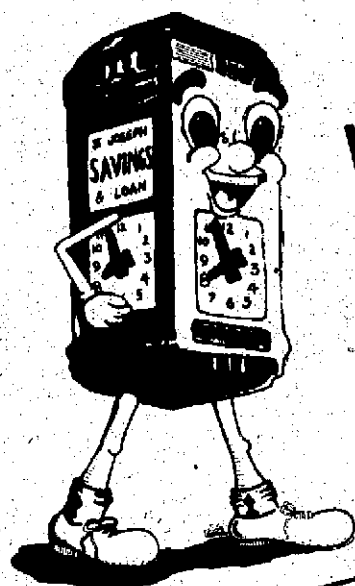
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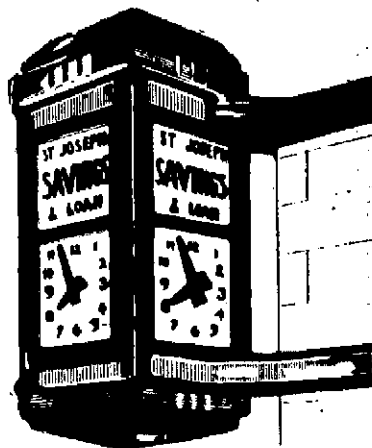
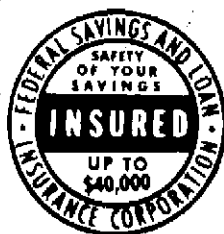
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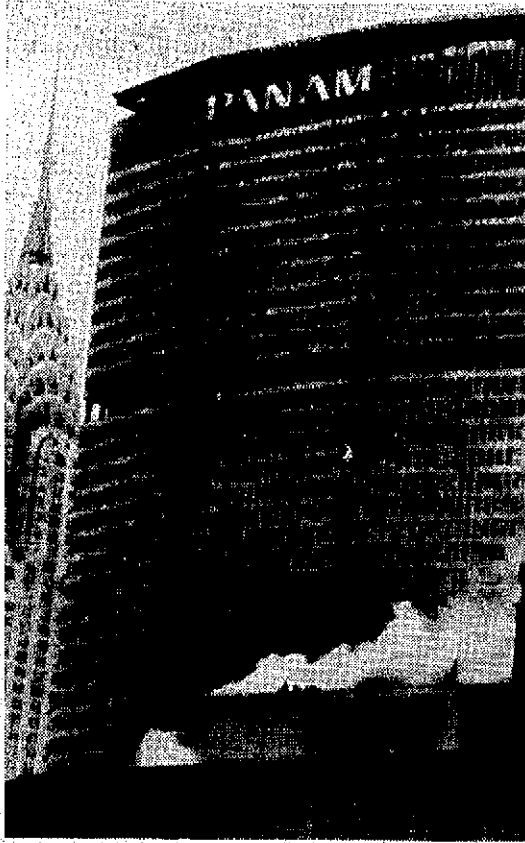
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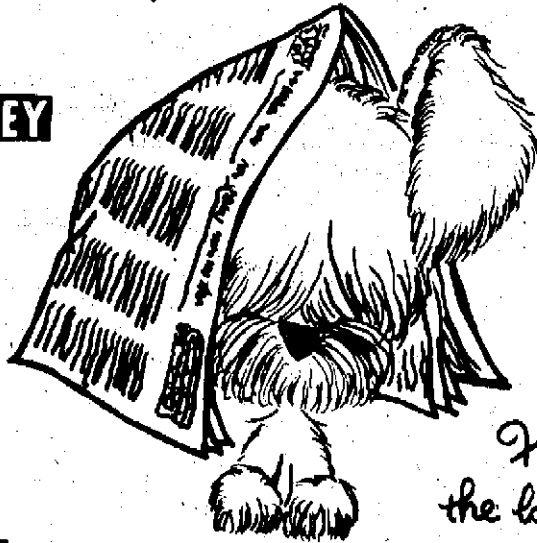
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Higgs said: "There are two main reasons. The first is the family structure in the district. It's strong. Secondly, we have a good educational program. You won't find many kids in this district who don't want to go to school." Higgs termed the counseling program "excellent."

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Superintendent Burton Aldrich told the board he believes the 3.4 per cent dropout rate will be a trend in coming years and may decline even further.

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"It was definitely a professional job," he said. "The only way they could have gotten in this office is with a key."

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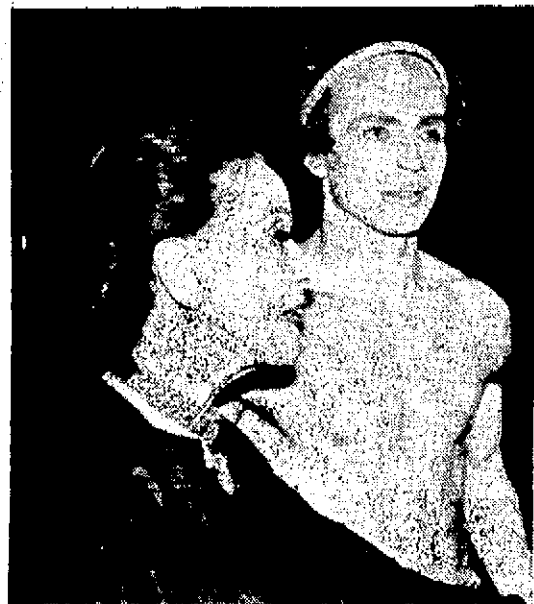
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In reducing the budget cut-back, Democrats won reduced trimming in education and social services. There will be no reduction in welfare payments, lawmakers said, and school aid reductions were trimmed from \$47 million to about \$40 million.

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Catholic High Honor Roll

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To date, more than 21,000 cattle, 1.5 million chickens and thousands of other animals have been destroyed because they ate the contaminated food.

A survey by the state Public Health Department does not say specifically there are no ill effects in humans, attributable to PBB's. However, some top officials of the department have repeatedly referred to the study to support argument there is no evidence of any human illness attributable to PBB's.

The new study, by Dr. Walter Meester of Blodgett Hospital, Grand Rapids, questions previous testing methods in which the effect of PBB was studied on a group of humans who had been exposed to animals contaminated by the compound. A second group tested consisted of persons who had not been exposed.

Meester said tests on some of those believed not to have been involved with PBB showed they had the chemical in their blood streams. Presumably, they came in contact in some way with PBB, perhaps by eating food contaminated by the substance prior to the test.

Conversely, three persons in the group which was exposed to PBB did not have the chemical in their systems.

State health officials had insisted the survey completed last May showed no human illnesses attributable to consuming eggs, meat, milk, and other foods contaminated with the fire retardant.

One of the directors of the original state study of the PBB problem said Dr. Meester's findings "muddy the water slightly" but insisted the state findings were still correct. Meester said the department's own studies "definitely show a positive rate of disease in individuals with high PBB levels."

Both the state health and agricultural departments have discounted PBB's as the possible source of widespread sickness among Michigan cattle that were fed grains laced with the fire retardant.

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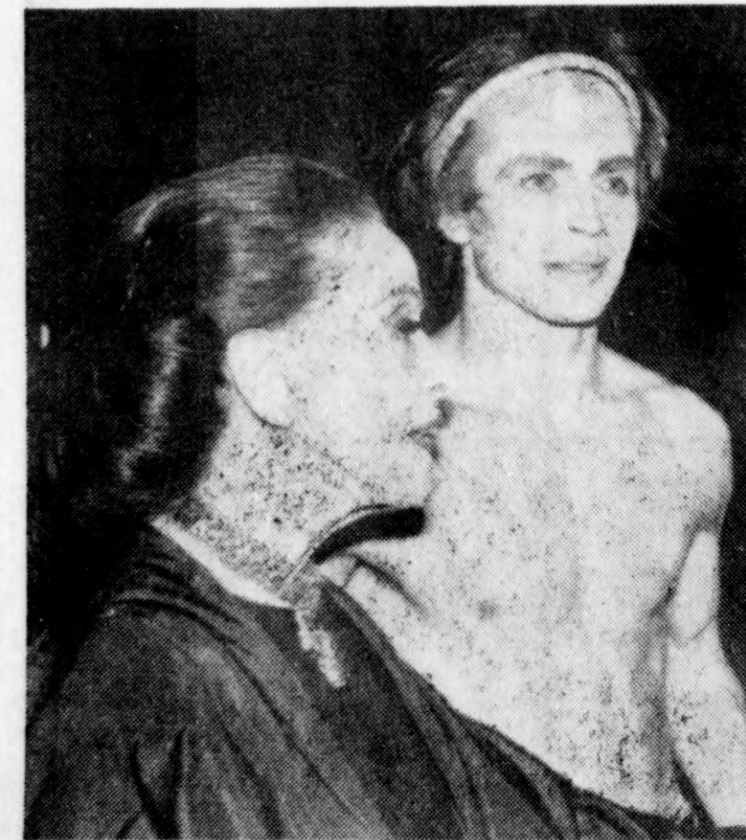
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The fiscal year and restricted funds projects require legislation, and bills are pending which would accomplish the goals.

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In reducing the -udget cut-back, Democrats won reduced trimming in education and social services. There will be no reduction in welfare payments, lawmakers said, and school aid reductions were trimmed from \$47 million to about \$40 million.

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RIISING TO HIS FAITH: Fireman Gino Bagnoli stands atop a 114-foot ladder to place a wreath on the arm of the statue of the Virgin Mary at the Spanish Square in Rome Monday on the occasion of the Immaculate Conception feast. (AP Wirephoto)

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Medic Questions State PBB Study

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To date, more than 21,000 cattle, 1.5 million chickens and thousands of other animals have been destroyed because they ate the contaminated food.

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The new study, by Dr. Walter Meester of Blodgett Hospital, Grand Rapids, questions previous testing methods in which the effect of PBB was studied on a group of humans who had been exposed to animals contaminated by the compound. A second group tested consisted of persons who had not been exposed.

Meester said tests on some of those believed not to have been involved with PBB showed they had the chemical in their blood streams. Presumably, they came in contact in some way with PBB, perhaps by eating food contaminated by the substance prior to the test.

Conversely, three persons in the group which was exposed to PBB did not have the chemical in their systems.

State health officials had insisted the survey completed last May showed no human illnesses attributable to consuming eggs, meat, milk, and other foods contaminated with the fire retardant.

One of the directors of the original state study of the PBB problem said Dr. Meester's findings "muddy the water slightly" but insisted the state findings were still correct.

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Only Casualty

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Christians Back To Sea In Beirut

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Street," where most of the city's 76 banks have offices.

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Supt. William Schaefer said when the school is closed, the closing will be announced through area radio stations.

If the school is closed during the day because of an emergency, he said, students who ride buses will be taken to the address where they are normally left.

Exceptions to the emergency busing policy must be cleared by parents in advance in written requests to the transportation coordinator, school principal and individual bus drivers, Dr. Schaefer said.

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PONTIAC, Mich. (AP) — An apparent murder-suicide has left a Pontiac Township man and his estranged wife dead. The bodies of Gurney Stuchal, 63, and his wife, Betty, 49, were found Sunday, Pontiac Township police said. Mrs. Stuchal had gone to the house to pick up some Christmas ornaments, officers said. She was shot once in the head while Stuchal died of a chest wound, authorities said.

Bangor To Seek \$120,000
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BANGOR — The Bangor city council voted last night to submit an application for \$120,000 in federal funds to upgrade the city's water system.

The vote came after a public hearing where no objections were received to the city applying for the money.

The money will go towards new water lines and replacing old ones, city officials said.

In other areas, the council purchased a three-quarter ton pickup truck from Russ Hyma

Chevrolet of South Haven for \$1,138.

Councilmen said the bid was the lowest on truck equipment for which it advertised.

The council also accepted the low bid of \$15.00 per ton for salt from International Salt of Detroit.

The city uses about 100 tons of salt on streets each winter, city officials said.

A request by James Webb Sr. for renewal of his license to operate Jimmy's Rock recreation hall was tabled for study by the council.

Bangor Board Recall
Vote Scheduled Feb. 2

By DENNIS COGSWELL
Paw Paw Bureau

BANGOR — An election to decide whether five members of the Bangor school board will be recalled from office was scheduled for Feb. 2 by the board last night.

The board took the action after President Donald Piper announced that sufficient signatures had been gathered by backers of the recall drive to require the election. Targets of the recall are Piper, Forest Gough, Fred Waite, Richard Kroegel, and Dr. Joseph Cooper.

James Chapman of the state elections commission told this newspaper earlier yesterday that in the event any of the members are recalled, an election to fill the vacancies would be held within about 60 days.

He said that if only some of the members of the board were recalled and enough survived to form a quorum, the remaining members could make appointments to replace the recalled members until the vacancy election.

If there are insufficient board members remaining after the recall to form a quorum, Chapman explained, Gov. Milliken would have the option of appointing persons to serve on the board until the vacancies were filled by election.

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Acting Supt. Fred Stap announced last night that two state auditors assigned to take a preliminary look at the records told him they hope to have their preliminary work completed within a couple of weeks.

He said they would then make recommendations to the state Department of Education as to whether a full review was needed, and the department would act accordingly.

Piper also announced that Beyer would return to work Jan. 5, but that whether it will be on a part or fulltime basis would be determined by the superintendent's health at the time. Beyer has been on sick leave since late October from what his doctor characterized as extreme exhaustion and some signs of coronary artery disease.

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Three Oaks
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Cass Board Approves New
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LaGRANGE — Cass county's intermediate school board approved a pay-as-you-go plan for financing construction and operation of a proposed vocational-technical center during last night's meeting.

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If approved, the career center would be completed and ready to handle 600-800 high school juniors and seniors by the 1979 fall term. First collection of the millage, if approved, would be in 1978.

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CHINA'S LEADER
Featured in Quiz

This man met with President Ford and his family during the president's recent trip to China. The founder of the Communist Party in China also greeted U.S. Secretary of State Henry Kissinger during the trip.

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Councilmen said the bid was the lowest on truck equipment for which it advertised.

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LaGRANGE — Cass county's intermediate school board approved a pay-as-you-go plan for financing construction and operation of a proposed vocational-technical center during last night's meeting.

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"They took almost everything away from us," admitted Stabler, who completed just two of his first nine passes and suffered two interceptions. Oakland's offensive efforts had accounted for only 30 yards by late in the second quarter.

But Horace Jones then sacked Huftagel, making his first NFL start, at the Denver 21-yard line and the Raiders drove 44 yards after taking a short punt. Fred Biletnikoff shook loose to catch passes which gained 15 and 16 yards and Harold Hart ran two yards for the touchdown which sent Oakland ahead.

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Denver outgained Oakland by 76 yards, 254 to 178, despite the 74 yards subtracted from the Broncos' total by the 10 sacks.

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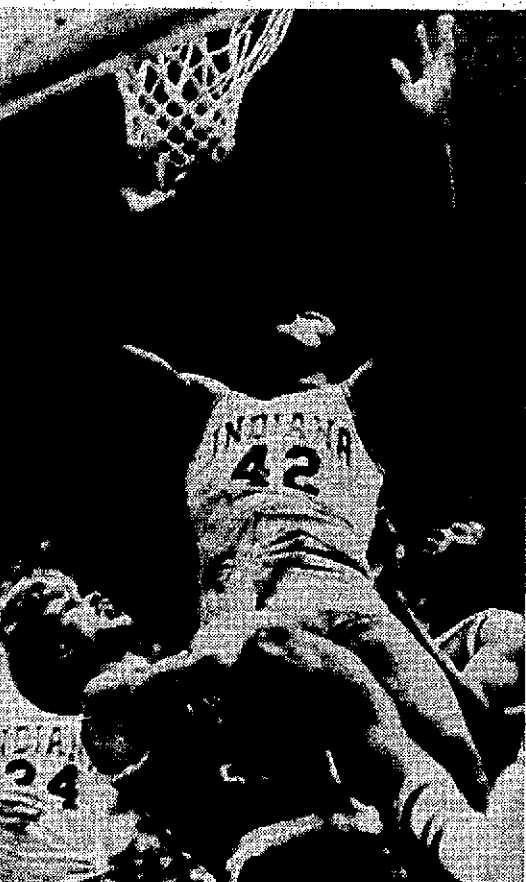
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TENNIS

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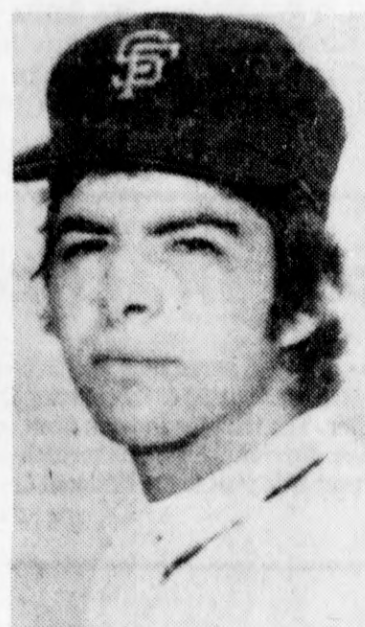
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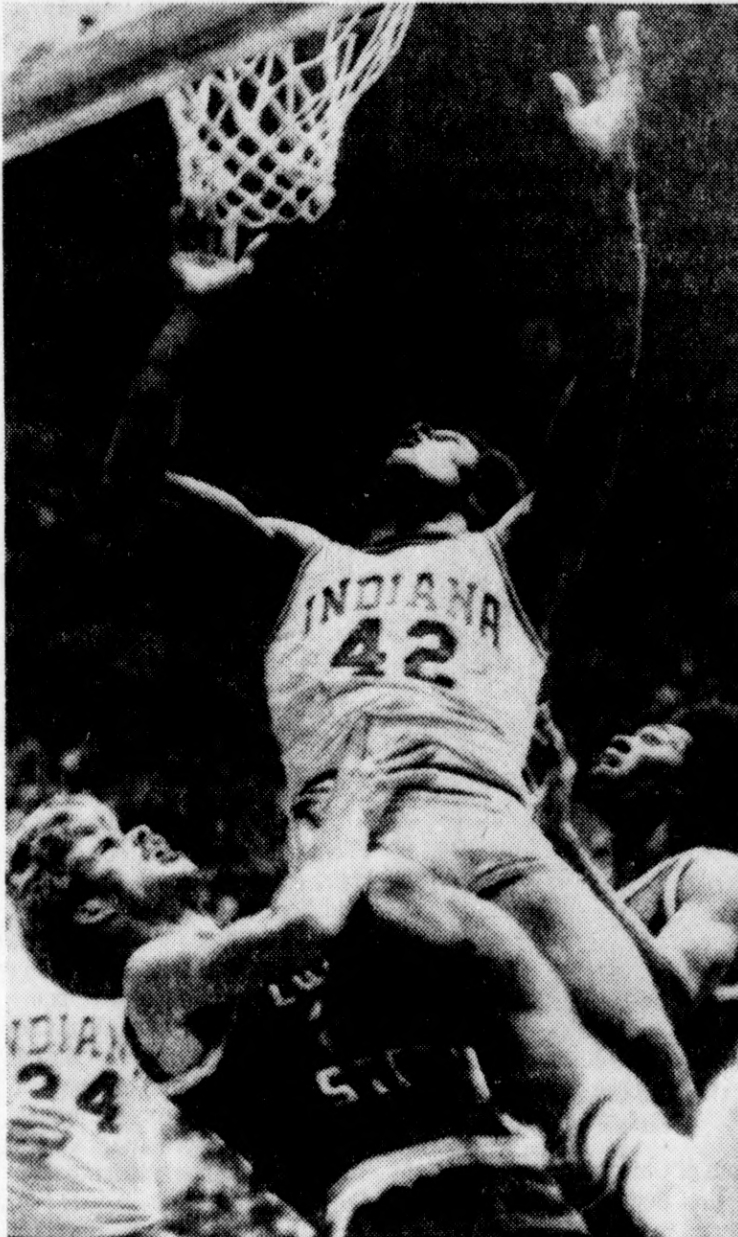
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tercepted three passes in the Raiders' 17-10 victory over the Broncos in a nationally televised game.

Otis Sistrunk, from his defensive tackle position, led the charge on the Denver passers. He took part in five of the sacks which took some heat off the Oakland offense and helped the playoff-bound Raiders win their seventh straight National Football League game.

The normally explosive offense run by quarterback Ken Stabler seemed to be working with a silencer. Denver was ahead 3-0 on Jim Turner's 18-yard field goal which followed an Oakland fumble in the first period.

"They took almost everything away from us," admitted Stabler, who completed just two of his first nine passes and suffered two interceptions. Oakland's offensive efforts had accounted for only 30 yards by late in the second quarter.

But Horace Jones then sacked Huftnagel, making his first NFL start, at the Denver 21-yard line and the Raiders drove 44 yards after taking a short punt. Fred Biletnikoff shook loose to catch passes which gained 15 and 16 yards and Harold Hart ran two yards for the touchdown which sent Oakland ahead.

In the third quarter, after Phillips' third interception against Huftnagel, the Raiders drove 48 yards for another touchdown, scored by Pete Banaszak on a one-yard run. That was about it offensively.

Denver outgained Oakland by 76 yards, 254 to 178, despite the 74 yards subtracted from the Broncos' total by the 10 sacks.

"Still, Oakland keeps on win-

ning, and you can't knock success," said Broncos' Coach John Ralston, whose team is 5-7 and aiming only for the runner-up spot behind the Raiders, 10-2, in the American Conference West.

Ramsey threw a 33-yard pass to Haven Moses to set up Fran Lynch's five-yard touchdown run in the final period and Denver cut the Oakland lead to 14-10.

Two killing pass interference calls against cornerback Louis Wright then hit Denver's defense, setting up George Blanda's 18-yard field goal with 2:21 left in the game.

"I thought (Ted) Kwalick grabbed me. When I saw the flag I thought, 'Good, he got caught,'" said Wright, who reacted in disbelief when the first penalty was called against him rather than the Oakland receiver.

The officials moved the ball 61 of the 80 yards on the drive which led to the field goal. When Denver got the ball back for a final time, Ramsey went down under linebacker Gerald Irons and Sistrunk on successive pass attempts.

"They were all over us," said Ralston.

Cage Poll

Here are the Top Twenty teams in the Associated Press college basketball poll with first-place votes in parentheses, season records through games of Sunday Dec. 7 and total points. Points based on 25-10-14-15-10-10-7-4-5-4-3-2-1.

1. Indiana (57)	1-0	1,176
2. Maryland	3-0	1,048
3. Marquette	2-0	838
4. N. Carolina	3-0	793
5. UCLA	2-1	584
6. Louisville	2-0	576
7. Tennessee (2)	3-0	568
8. Notre Dame	3-0	519
9. Cincinnati	4-0	355
10. Arizona	4-0	327
11. Alabama	3-0	284
12. San Francisco	3-0	270
13. N. C. St.	3-0	237
14. Kentucky	0-1	141
15. Washington	4-0	75
16. New T. Vegas	4-0	66
17. Auburn	2-0	65
18. Michigan	1-1	57
19. Arizona St.	3-0	56
20. Missouri	4-0	42

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HOCKEY

TORONTO — Several teams in the National Hockey League are pressing again for merger between their league and the World Hockey Association, the executive director of the NHL Players' Association Allan Eagleson said Monday.

HOUSTON — Veteran Gordie Howe of the Houston Aeros was fined \$1,000 by the World Hockey Association and suspended for two games for bumping an official and receiving a game misconduct penalty against Cincinnati Friday.

BASKETBALL

KANSAS CITY — Matt Guokas was traded from the Chicago Bulls to the Kansas City Kings in a National Basketball Association transaction for future considerations.

TENNIS

UPPSALA, Sweden — Romania's Ilie Nastase defeated Rolf Norberg 6-3, 7-5 in an opening round match of the Uppsala Open Tennis Tournament.

FOOTBALL

NEW YORK — The New York Jets waived safety Donnie Walker and signed second-year safety Carl Capria.

DETROIT — Free safety Dick Jauron became the 13th Detroit Lion to have surgery this season as torn cartilage in his left knee was repaired Monday, the team reported.

Valley Frosh Win

NEW PRAIRIE, Ind. — David Zebell scored 13 and Steve Johnson 12 while leading River Valley freshmen to a 43-27 win over New Prairie here Monday.

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Tiger, Bear Cagers Facing Tough Teams This Week

The week of decision has arrived for both the St. Joseph and Benton Harbor basketball teams.

Each faces a rugged non-league opponent tonight and then follows that up with a tough league foe Friday. The Bears (3-0) host Kalamazoo Central tonight and then travel to Kalamazoo Loy Norrix Friday.

Benton Harbor, on the other hand, entertains unbeaten Muskegon Heights tonight before journeying to Muskegon Friday.

"There's no doubt that this week will prove a lot," St. Joe coach George Gaunders says. "It will show just how we stand and where we have to go. Central

will be a good test, but the toughest one will probably be the Loy Norrix game."

Central lost its only game thus far to Loy Norrix 78-54, but Gaunders is not taking them lightly.

"I don't like to slight any team because they're all tough," he said. "Some are just tougher than others."

And Loy Norrix will offer that tougher assignment. The Knights have won their only two games, easily beating Sturgis (79-53) and Central.

"I've seen Norrix play," Gaunders offers. "They're quick and they're taller than us. It will be the supreme test for us because they can match us in almost every department. It will

probably boil down to the team with the most desire to win."

Balance has been the Bears' key this season with four of its five starters averaging in double figures. Guard Cory Benford leads the way with a 15.5 clip per game. But Benford is followed closely by forward Dale Wright (15.0), guard Mike Collier (12.3) and forward Dave Ziebart (12.0).

Benton Harbor dropped its opener Friday to Class A power Battle Creek Central 70-66 and will have its hands full again tonight with Muskegon Heights. Heights narrowly escaped the upset bug last Saturday before edging Shelby 81-79.

Trailing 79-78 with only 36 seconds left to play, Heights was

able to rally when Shelby called a timeout. The timeout was Shelby's sixth, one more than the allotted number per game and a technical foul was called against Shelby. Tiger guard Jeff Brown hit the foul shot to tie the game and then hit a jumper in the closing seconds to win it.

"The games just get tougher and tougher," Benton Harbor coach Earl McKee said. "We're going to have to play a more controlled type of basketball against Heights. We didn't run our offense the way we should have been running it against Battle Creek. We also made a lot of mental as well as physical errors."

Heights boasts three starters averaging in double figures in

the 6-1 Brown, junior Mark Kitchen and senior James Glascock.

McKee is planning to move Bennie Bowers from forward to center to help the Tiger rebounding.

"We didn't get enough offensive rebounds," McKee stated. "When you're losing, you very seldom stand pat. Changes have got to be made."

In Bowers place at forward, McKee is considering one of four choices. Heading the group is 6-4 Fred Woods, whose place at center Bowers is taking. The others are senior Bennie Rittman (6-3) and juniors Don Green (6-3) and Derrick Joseph (6-4).

McKee also was not pleased with the play of his guards Friday, though Ray Thompson and Steve McNutt did combine for 30 points.

"We rely on our guards to set up our offense," he said. "And they didn't do a very good job of setting it up. We have some kids on the bench who would like to play if things do not change."

Forward Russell Steele, a 6-4 senior, sparked Benton Harbor against Battle Creek with 24 points.

Muskegon will offer another formidable test for the Tigers Friday. Muskegon is a very deceiving 0-2 at this point, having dropped close decisions to Grand Rapids Union (69-61) and to Muskegon Heights 57-54.

Tony Pannell heads the Muskegon attack. The 6-3 senior who was the team's leading scorer and most valuable player last year, is averaging 20.5 points per game.

In other area games tonight, River Valley travels to New Buffalo for a game between a pair of winless teams. The Mustangs have lost three times and scored only 124 points in those three contests.

New Buffalo has dropped four in a row and is only averaging 54.5 points per game themselves.

Covert takes the area's top scoring team to Michigan Lutheran. The Bulldog express is scoring at a 93.5 clip per tilt and has been held under 95 just

once in four winning efforts.

The area's top scorer, Marc Moeller, will lead Fennville in a game against winless Bangor. Moeller is averaging 31 points per game, helping the Blackhawks to a pair of victories.

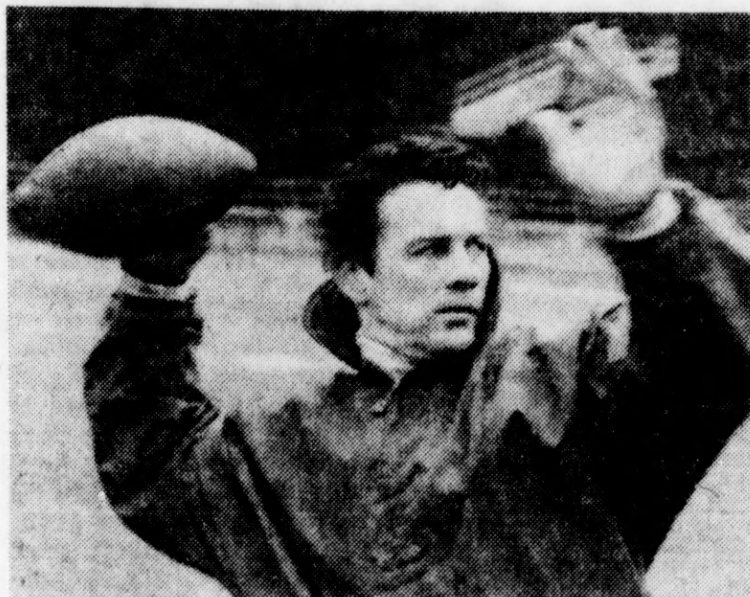
Cassopolis is at Decatur. Edwardsburg travels to Berrien Springs. Hartford faces Lawrence, and Niles hosts Portage Northern in other games tonight.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	League Games W L	All Games W L	Opp. Pts. Pts.
Musk. Cathol.	0 0	0 0	184 175
Grand Haven	0 0	0 0	172 104
Traverse City	0 0	0 0	69 57
Mono Shores	0 0	0 0	110 122
Benton Harbor	0 0	0 0	66 70
Muskegon	0 0	0 0	115 126
RED ARROW			
Waterford	2 0	4 0	242 213
Lake Mich. Cath.	2 0	2 1	189 201
Brigdam	1 1	1 1	281 238
Gallen	1 1	2 1	219 196
Eau Claire	1 1	2 1	209 190
Berrien Springs	1 1	2 1	216 220
Hartford	0 2	1 3	210 248
New Buffalo	0 0	0 4	222 324
BIG SEVEN			
St. Joseph	1 0	3 0	220 149
Port. Northern	1 0	2 1	163 174
Niles	1 0	1 1	114 125
B.C. Lakeview	0 1	1 1	130 133
Holland	0 1	1 1	122 113
Port Central	0 0	1 1	81 88
Loy Norrix	0 0	2 0	132 107
BLOSSOMLAND			
Buchanan	0 0	3 0	226 156
Brandywine	1 0	3 0	216 194
Cassopolis	1 0	2 0	149 114
Edwardsburg	0 1	0 3	192 232
Coloma	0 1	0 3	160 175
Lakeshore	0 1	0 3	216 208
River Valley	0 1	0 3	214 170
SOUTHWESTERN			
Marcellus	1 0	2 0	147 93
Decatur	1 0	2 0	151 106
Martin	1 0	1 1	70 101
Gables	0 1	0 2	149 171
Lawrence	0 1	0 2	188 100
Lawton	0 1	0 2	102 133
Bloomington	0 0	2 0	116 139
WOLVERINE			
South Haven	3 0	4 0	271 199
Three Rivers	3 0	3 1	242 216
Vicksburg	2 0	3 1	158 115
Comstock	2 1	1 1	113 101
Oshtemo	1 2	1 2	165 166
Plainfield	1 2	1 2	159 177
Allegan	1 2	1 3	242 277
Gull Lake	0 2	0 3	172 187
Paw Paw	0 2	0 3	132 192
KVA			
Delton	1 0	3 0	191 147
St. Christian	1 0	2 1	126 115
Mattawan	1 0	2 1	161 197
B.C. St. Philip	0 1	0 2	116 147
Hookins	0 1	0 2	191 203
Galesburg	0 1	0 3	123 158
Parchment	0 0	1 1	126 120
Bangor	0 0	2 1	163 183
ALLEGAN-OTTAWA			
Covert	1 0	4 0	374 270
Allendale	1 0	2 1	217 218
Hookins	0 1	1 2	191 203
Saughtuck	0 1	0 2	139 157
Fennville	0 1	0 2	132 113

GAMES THIS WEEK

TONIGHT	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Muskegon Heights at Benton Harbor	Edwardsburg at Berrien Springs	Portage Northern at Niles
Cassopolis at Decatur	River Valley at New Buffalo	Bangor at Fennville
Edwardsburg at Berrien Springs	Covert at Michigan Lutheran	Lake Michigan Catholic at Bridgman
Portage Northern at Niles	Lawrence at Muskegon	Lakeshore at Dowagiac
Bangor at Fennville	Michigan Lutheran at Covenant Christian	Coloma at Buchanan
Covert at Michigan Lutheran	Edwardsburg at Cassopolis	Brandywine at River Valley
Coloma at Buchanan	Eau Claire at Watervliet	New Buffalo at Berrien Springs
Edwardsburg at Cassopolis	Gallen at Hartford	Bloomington at Lawrence
Brandywine at River Valley	Martin at Gables	Marcellus at Lawton
Eau Claire at Watervliet	Niles at Allegan	South Haven at Gull Lake
New Buffalo at Berrien Springs	Fennville at Hookins	Paw Paw at Allegan
Gallen at Hartford	Galesburg-Augusta at Bangor	Niles at Holland
Bloomington at Lawrence	Coloma at Lake Michigan Catholic	Westville at Gallen
Martin at Gables	Nishnawbe Marion at Brandywine	



THE PASSING GAME: Quarterback Len Dawson (left) of the Kansas City Chiefs may have seen his career ended when he suffered a broken thumb in Sunday's game, but quarterback Frank Tarkenton (right) of the Minnesota Vikings may surpass the touchdown pass record of John Unitas in next Sunday's game at Detroit.



day's game at Detroit. Dawson, 40, is in his 19th season in pro football and has not made a decision yet on whether to continue playing. Tarkenton needs two touchdown passes to pass Unitas' mark of 290. (AP Wirephoto)

Lolich, Coleman Trade Bait

Tigers Have Several Deals In The Fire

HOLLYWOOD, Fla. (AP) — The names of the Detroit Tigers' top two pitchers in recent years — Mickey Lolich and Joe Coleman — continued to be mentioned in trade talk as major league baseball's winter meetings officially began Monday.

"We have several things in the fire," Tiger General Manager Jim Campbell said. "But right now I don't know if they have even a 50-50 chance of coming off."

He would not confirm speculation that veterans Lolich and Coleman were on the trading block.

But he did say that in about "a

half dozen proposals," Lolich's name was mentioned.

According to reports published in Detroit, Coleman and Lolich have been offered to the New York Mets and the Texas Rangers.

The Tigers covert New York outfielder Rusty Staub or Texas' Tom Grieve, the reports said.

But the Tigers hopes for Staub ran into a roadblock Monday when the Atlanta Braves and Baltimore Orioles also expressed interest in the Mets' star slugger.

Reports also have the Tigers apparently on the brink of buying Texas Rangers' first

baseman Jim Spencer for an estimated \$75,000.

Campbell, however, would not be specific on the Tiger objectives.

"We'd like to come up with someone down here who has some run-producing ability," he said.

Under a league rule, Lolich would have to approve any trade in which he was involved since he's served more than 10 years with the Tigers. The Tiger lefty has said repeatedly he would like to wind up his career in Detroit and would veto any trade.

Other trade talk has Detroit

third-baseman Aurelio Rodriguez headed for the San Francisco Giants for an unnamed pitcher.

All the discussion comes in the wake of a seven-player deal Saturday between Detroit and the Houston Astros. The Tigers picked up catcher Milt May and pitchers Dave Roberts and Jim Crawford in exchange for outfielder Leon Roberts, catcher Terry Humphrey and two minor league pitchers.

The Tigers also added 22-year-old right-handed reliever Bruce Taylor, drafting him from the Cincinnati Reds' Indianapolis farm club.

BOWLING

GERSONDE'S
I.P.M. Ladies—Diane Hunt 476, Beverly Morgan 344 (157), Vicki White 300. The Foxes Ladies 1419.
WHIRLPOOL LADIES—Karen Cox 550 (193), Valma Ervin 476, Gloria Lowery 454, Salt & Peppers 2416.
NAPH—Willie White 354, Vance Steele 344, Helen Job 316, Sue Steinko 265, Doug Merrill 227, Jean Rough 172, Helen Pelton 158.
LAKESHORE—Ken Burger 602 (216), Del Lambrecht 580, Art Mack 572, Ken Berry 561, Gersonde's Rec 2722, Fuzzies (930).
MONDAY NIGHT LADIES—Evelyn Pierman 554 (233), Nancy Nitz 524 (205), Donna Mak 511, E. Muhlbach 482, E. Hendrix 463, Lois Quigley 468, Auto Clinic 2357.
WHITE CAME LEAGUE—Men: Bob Chabourne 414, Dennis Williams 302, Al Keeney 295, Women: Jean Leidner 297, Marie Stevens 282, Helen Job 208.
MIXED SENIORS—Boys: Tom Hanley 590 (223), Cory Benford 591 (230), Tim Little 547, Women: Sue Farrow 481 (189), Mimi Beutler 445, Dorlene Gillette 414.
MIXED SENIORS—Boys: Chris Arent 180, David Burkhardt 173, Girls: Kelly Ludlum 182.
SANTAM GIRLS—Dee Mahoney 466, Jill Wenzel 382, Kin Johnson 361, Sara Pierce 357.
LAKES BOWL
MIS FITS—Lorraine Critfield 549 (194), Sharon Bassett 490, Carol Baue 454.
TEA LEAGUE—Vernette Anderson 488

LMC's Girls Win Openers

TRAVERSE CITY — Lake Michigan College's girls basketball team opened its season by stopping Northwestern University here twice.

The Indians nipped Northwestern 57-50 Sunday but exploded for a 65-33 win Monday.

Deb Schmid was the Lake Michigan sparkplug, scoring 10 in the opener and tossing in 24 in the second game. Jill Clays sparked the Indians with 13 in the first contest.

Linda Boyd scored 15 points and pulled down 18 rebounds to aid Schmid in the second game. Karen Simko had 11 points.

LMC opens its league season Jan. 5 at Muskegon Community College. The Indians' first home game will be at 5:45 p.m. Jan. 7 against Kalamazoo Valley.

Radtko Scores 28 In Hackers Rout

BERRIEN SPRINGS — Dave Radtko tossed in 28 points and George Dixon added 22 to lead Hackers Harvester to an easy 124-62 win over Canonic's in Berrien Springs Recreation Basketball League play last week.

Ron Ricca's 17-point effort paced Canonic's.

In other league action, Jameson Chemical routed Bertuca Bonding 112-84 and Sink Datsun edged House of Nutrition 75-70.

Harold Wheeler's 28 points topped Jameson, while Gene Benko scored 23 for Bertuca.

Mark Weir's sparked Sink to its narrow win with 20 points. Mark Boehm led the losers with 19.

Lutheran Winner

Christ Lutheran got 16 points from Bill Shembarger and defeated Grace Lutheran 40-30 Monday. Dieter Milbrandt had 12 for the losers.

WRESTLING



NILES WINS EASILY
96—Armithee (N) p. Stone, 1:26.
105—Butts (N) won by forfeit.
112—Eggenbrecht (S) d. Bagnato, 4:3.
119—Hunt (N) p. Helman, 3:40.
126—Wood (N) d. Prior, 2:0.
132—Aamus (N) d. Ford, 20:2.
138—Damp (S) d. Ginter, 4:2.
145—Flood (N) and Quimby (S) drew.
155—Fruci (N) p. Bogue, 1:43.
167—Montgomery (S) p. Blauvelt, 2:34.
185—Rupp (N) d. Aretz, 11:8.
Hwt.—Roduski (S) d. Crocker, 9:0.
Niles 37, South Bend 149

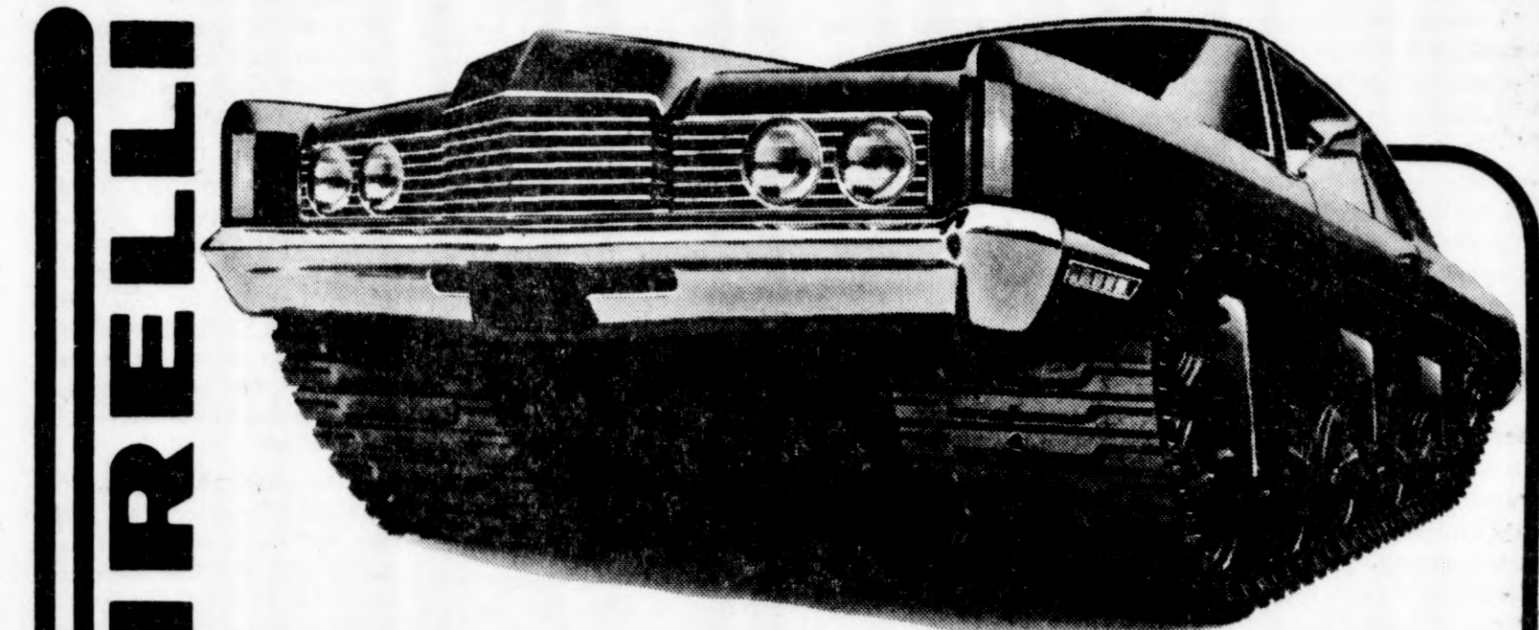
CARDINALS TRIP GOBLES
96—double forfeit.
105—Lang (G) won by forfeit.
112—Lindsey (B) p. Kennison, 1:22.
126—Lacount (G) p. McCloud, 1:33.
132—D. Green (G) p. Lopez, 1:29.
138—Rigues (B) p. R. Green, 1:54.
145—Whitlow (B) p. Flipp, 3:10.
155—Wilkinson (B) won by forfeit.
167—Bowers (G) p. R. Rowson, 1:59.
185—F. Rowson (B) d. Roden, 5:2.
Hwt.—J. Rowson (B) p. Budzinski, 1:33.
Bloomington 33, Gobles 24

Milton Wins Two

Milton junior high cagers won a pair of games over Eau Claire Monday. Wes Rice netted 13 and Jim Mix 11 in the eighth grade's 29-22 win while Tim Zebell had 17 in the seventh grade's 32-22 triumph.



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State Deer Harvest Up, But Below DNR's Prediction

Michigan's 1975 firearm deer harvest has been gauged at 87,100 animals, comparable to last year's total, based on a preliminary estimate made by the Department of Natural Resources.

In 1974, sportsmen took 92,000 whitetails from Michigan's fields and forests, according to a final survey report completed in May.

Preliminary harvest figures are based on traffic counts

taken by the DNR along major north and southbound highways during the two week season in late November. The Department's Office of Surveys and Statistical Services makes a final estimate on seasonal deer harvests during the following spring when it finishes a study of returns from an annual post-card survey of licensed deer hunters.

"Our preliminary estimates for 1975 are up in every category

from last year's traffic survey," notes Dr. Lawrence Ryel, head of the survey program. "Judging from performance in the last couple of years, however, these estimates may be conservative. In 1974, for example, the preliminary count was 75,900."

Results of the traffic survey, which hold up until the more accurate information is on hand, show that hunters harvested 80,300 bucks and 6,800 antlerless deer in 1975. That

compares to 86,710 bucks and 5,330 antlerless deer taken in the state last year.

Dave Arnold, the DNR's deer specialist, originally forecast a harvest of 100,000 whitetails in 1975, but he says his predictions may fall short when the final

estimate is made next spring.

"This was still one of our better seasons," states Arnold. "About 700,000 hunters were afield, so about one in eight brought home some venison. I'd say that's a sign of a pretty good hunt."

But from a biological standpoint, Arnold says field reports indicate that antler development was not as good as in 1974.

"All northern areas had more spike bucks in the yearling age class," he states. "Most significant was the Lake-Newaygo county where the percentage of spikes rose to 57 per cent, compared to 13 per cent a year ago."

"This poor development of antlers is consistent with the poor physical condition of the

herd found last spring," Arnold continues. "While deer were numerous this fall, their physical condition was lower. This is a sign that the herd may be at or approaching the carrying capacity of the food supply."

A breakdown of this season's preliminary traffic count totals points to a harvest of 13,500 bucks in the Upper Peninsula. The 1974 total was 14,930.

The northern half of the Lower Peninsula produced the

largest deer harvest in 1975, with 40,700 bucks and 3,400 antlerless deer taken, according to Ryel's estimates. In the southern half of the Lower Peninsula, hunters took 17,100 bucks and 3,400 antlerless deer.

Final tallies for 1974 show that 55,920 bucks and 1,900 antlerless deer were taken in the northern part of the Lower Peninsula; and 15,960 bucks and 3,400 antlerless deer in the southern half of Lower Michigan.

Outdoor Trail

Hearings Set On Oil Drilling Issue

Pigeon River EIS Now Available

Copies of the technical document that evaluates the environmental, social and economic impacts of possible oil and gas drilling in the Pigeon River Country State Forest will be ready for public distribution this week, reports the Department of Natural Resources.

Jack D. Balls, who headed a DNR task force that spent nearly three months in preparation of the analysis, says the 77-page report will initially be distributed to about 500 persons who requested it.

Others may obtain the report by writing to the DNR's Office of Environmental Review,

located on the seventh floor of the Stevens T. Mason Building in Lansing (48926).

"Copies will also be available at the public hearings scheduled on the question," notes Balls. "Comments from the public are welcome on Dec. 18 at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. at the Holiday Inn in Gaylord; and at 7 p.m., Dec. 19, at Ann Arbor's Huron High School, 2727 Fuller Drive."

DNR Director Howard A. Tanner states that the Pigeon River report serves as a staff analysis of the impacts and recommended controls on drilling in the forest, which oil companies say is rich in hydrocarbon resources.

After the hearings at Gaylord and Ann Arbor, the EIS and records of public comments will be forwarded to the Michigan Environmental Review Board for further review. A final decision on the question, however, will rest with the Natural Resources Commission, policy-making board for the DNR.

"The (Pigeon River EIS) is, hopefully, a thorough discussion of the possible environmental impacts and regulatory controls," states the task force summary in part. "It reviews the social and economic implications of specific alternatives and provides information for evaluation of the many possible combinations of alternatives not specifically discussed, but equally possible."

"The EIS does not explore the legal implications of denying drilling permits on either leased state-owned property or on private in-holdings, which may have a significant impact on the final resolution of this public question," the summary continues.

Balls, who notes that the EIS was prepared at the Commission's request, says that if drilling should be authorized, the task force feels that such

development be allowed only in part of the southern one-third of the forest (basically the portion located in northeastern Otsego County) under a "utilized approach" and "with a number of specific constraints."

"This option offers the best opportunity for compromise between extracting the majority of oil and gas, while allowing most of the forest to remain undisturbed," says Tanner. "But the task force feels that even with this proposed action, the no-drill boundary with utilized development will have certain unavoidable impacts."

Foremost, says Tanner, are concerns the task force determined as the "most difficult to evaluate" — those that would affect recreational uses of the Pigeon River Country State Forest.

"The sight, sound and odor of oil development will adversely impact on the quality, if not the quantity, of the recreational experience," the task force states in its summary. "Vapor control devices may well prevent most odors normally associated with hydrocarbon development, sound muffling techniques will reduce the level of noise, and natural and planted trees and shrubs can reduce the visual impacts."

"However, visitors to the (area) will know that oil and gas production is taking place," the summary continues.

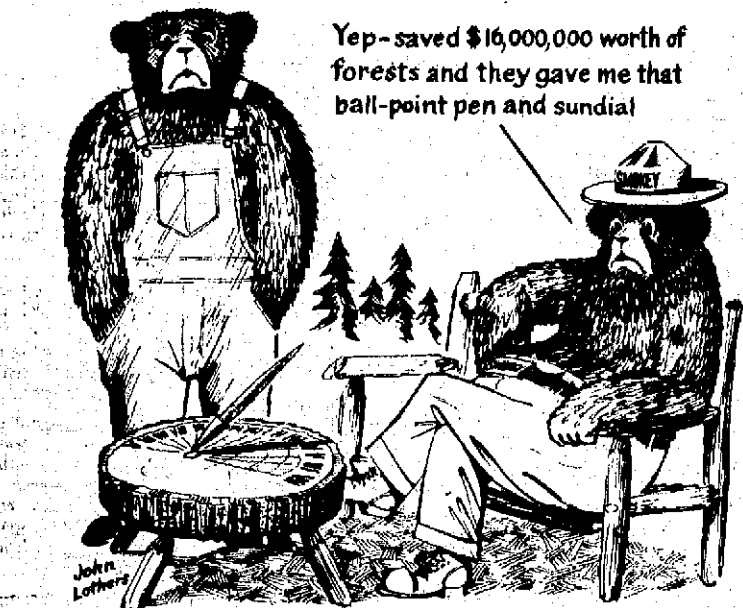
Other problem areas identified in the EIS include: —Loss of elk in the southern one-third of the forest where drilling is proposed, throughout the estimated 30 years of development and production.

—During the drilling and construction period, some upland areas would be disturbed, although recovery of vegetation is relatively quick and plant communities are expected to reestablish themselves.

—While wetlands would be protected from drilling pads or facilities, pipelines or flowlines may need to be constructed through some swamps; during the construction phase, these areas would be adversely affected.

—Negative impacts would be created "temporarily" where streams are crossed with either bridges or pipelines.

—Erosion control measures would prevent major problems in streams, although some siltation would occur despite the best prevention techniques.



'Mandatory' Retirement For Smokey

Smokey Bear, the living symbol for fire protection, has retired and a new bear has taken on his official duties at the National Zoological Park in Washington, D.C.

"He is now 25 years old, the equivalent of 70 years in humans, and 70 is the mandatory retirement age for federal

employees," said a Forest Service official.

Over the years, Smokey's success and popularity — in a 1988 survey he was recognized by more than 90 per cent of the persons interviewed — made him an international figure.

The deluge of fan mail became so great that by 1985 he

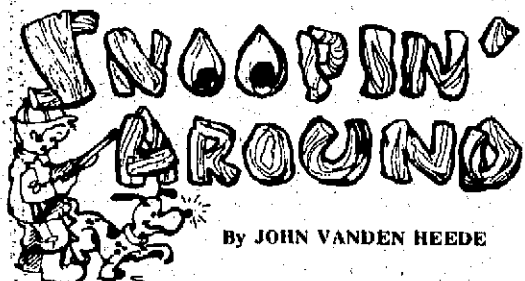
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Preliminary harvest figures are based on traffic counts

taken by the DNR along major north and southbound highways during the two week season in late November. The Department's Office of Surveys and Statistical Services makes a final estimate on seasonal deer harvests during the following spring when it finishes a study of returns from an annual post-card survey of licensed deer hunters.

"Our preliminary estimates for 1975 are up in every category

from last year's traffic survey," notes Dr. Lawrence Ryel, head of the survey program. "Judging from performance in the last couple of years, however, these estimates may be conservative. In 1974, for example, the preliminary count was 75,800."

Results of the traffic survey, which hold up until the more accurate information is on hand, show that hunters harvested 80,300 bucks and 6,800 antlerless deer in 1975. That

compares to 86,710 bucks and 5,330 antlerless deer taken in the state last year.

Dave Arnold, the DNR's deer specialist, originally forecast a harvest of 100,000 whitetails in 1975, but he says his predictions may fall short when the final

estimate is made next spring.

"This was still one of our better seasons," states Arnold. "About 700,000 hunters were afield, so about one in eight brought home some venison. I'd say that's a sign of a pretty good hunt."

But from a biological standpoint, Arnold says field reports indicate that antler development was not as good as in 1974.

"All northern areas had more spike bucks in the yearling age class," he states. "Most significant was the Lake-Newaygo county where the percentage of spikes rose to 57 per cent, compared to 13 per cent a year ago."

"This poor development of antlers is consistent with the poor physical condition of the

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A breakdown of this season's preliminary traffic count totals points to a harvest of 13,500 bucks in the Upper Peninsula. The 1974 total was \$14,930.

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Outdoor Trail

Hearings Set On Oil Drilling Issue

Pigeon River EIS Now Available

Copies of the technical document that evaluates the environmental, social and economic impacts of possible oil and gas drilling in the Pigeon River Country State Forest will be ready for public distribution this week, reports the Department of Natural Resources.

Jack D. Bails, who headed a DNR task force that spent nearly three months in preparation of the analysis, says the 77-page report will initially be distributed to about 500 persons who requested it.

Others may obtain the report by writing to the DNR's Office of Environmental Review,

located on the seventh floor of the Stevens T. Mason Building in Lansing (48926).

"Copies will also be available at the public hearings scheduled on the question," notes Bails. "Comments from the public are welcome on Dec. 18 at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. at the Holiday Inn in Gaylord; and at 7 p.m., Dec. 19, at Ann Arbor's Huron High School, 2727 Fuller Drive."

DNR Director Howard A. Tanner states that the Pigeon River report serves as a staff analysis of the impacts and recommended controls on drilling in the forest, which oil companies say is rich in hydrocarbon resources.

After the hearings at Gaylord and Ann Arbor, the EIS and records of public comments will be forwarded to the Michigan Environmental Review Board for further review. A final decision on the question, however, will rest with the Natural Resources Commission, policy-making board for the DNR.

"The (Pigeon River EIS) is, hopefully, a thorough discussion of the possible environmental impacts and regulatory controls," states the task force summary in part. "It reviews the social and economic implications of specific alternatives and provides information for evaluation of the many possible combinations of alternatives not specifically discussed, but equally possible."

"The EIS does not explore the legal implications of denying drilling permits on either leased state-owned property or on private in-holdings, which may have a significant impact on the final resolution of this public question," the summary continues.

Bails, who notes that the EIS was prepared at the Commission's request, says that if drilling should be authorized, the task force feels that such

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Foremost, says Tanner, are concerns the task force determined as the "most difficult to evaluate" — those that would affect recreational uses of the Pigeon River Country State Forest.

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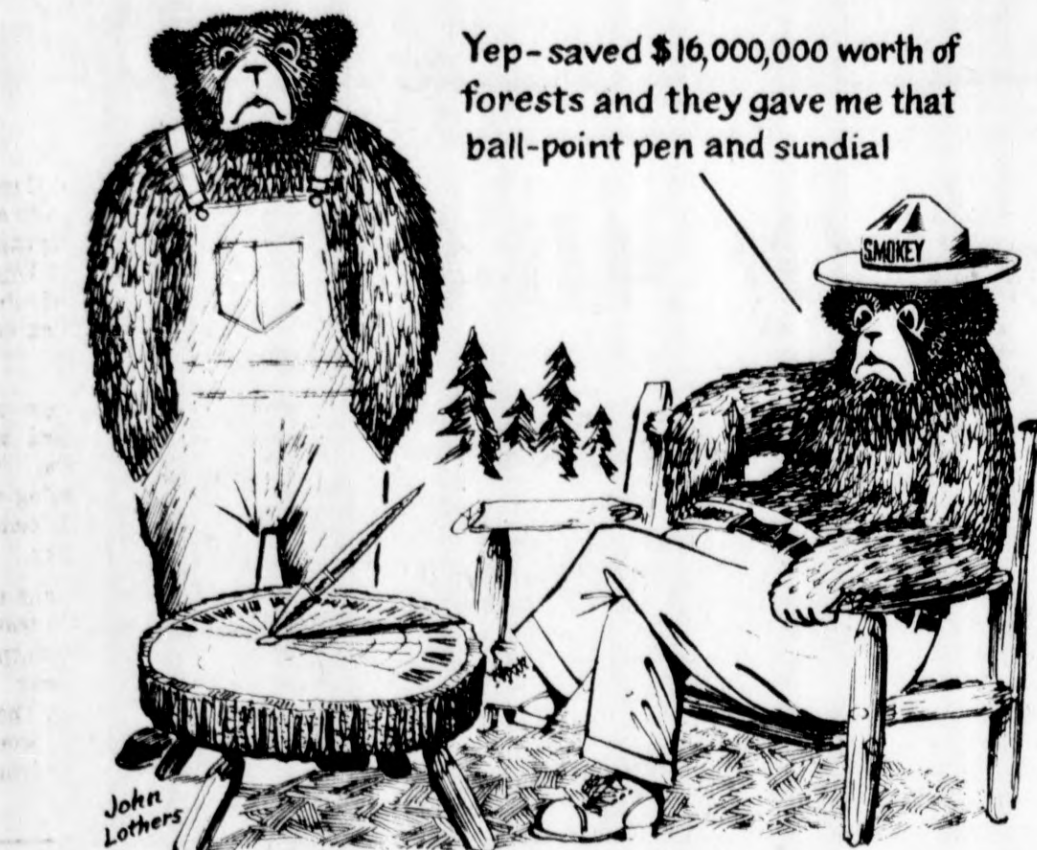
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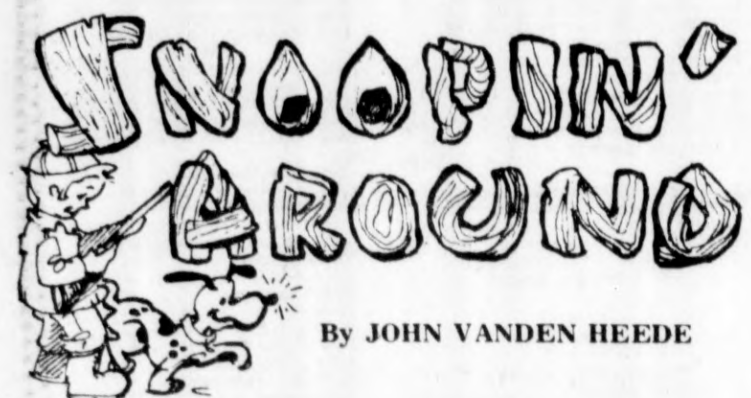
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Athletic Policy For Girls Adopted By Covert Board

COVERT — Three new policies, including provisions for participation by girls in non-contact interscholastic athletic events, were adopted by the Covert school board last night.

Supt. William Randall said the new policy was adopted as mandated by the federal government. He said the school district has had a policy guaranteeing equal opportunity regardless of race or religion, but did not have one concerning a student's sex.

The new policy states that girls may participate in non-contact sports, including but not limited to, track and field, tennis, golf, bowling, swimming and diving. Selection of participants is to be based on athletic ability, according to the policy.

Two other policies approved covered procedure for graduation and baccalaureate exercises, and recognition of students who graduate with high grade point averages.

In other areas, the school board approved sale of a 1966 used school bus to the First Assembly of God church, South Haven. The church's bid of \$1,008 was the highest of four submitted, and is contingent upon cash payment within 30 days.

Glover Dandridge of Covert was awarded a contract to remove snow from school property at a cost of \$13 per hour for labor and equipment. Dandridge was the only bidder.

Coaching positions were created, but not filled, for four junior high school sports including girls track and softball, and boys basketball and track.

Presented for first reading were four new board policies governing equivalency certificates, credit for homebound programs, student attendance at the Van Buren county skills center and a junior high promotion policy.



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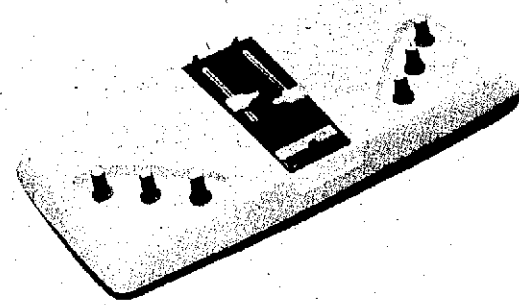
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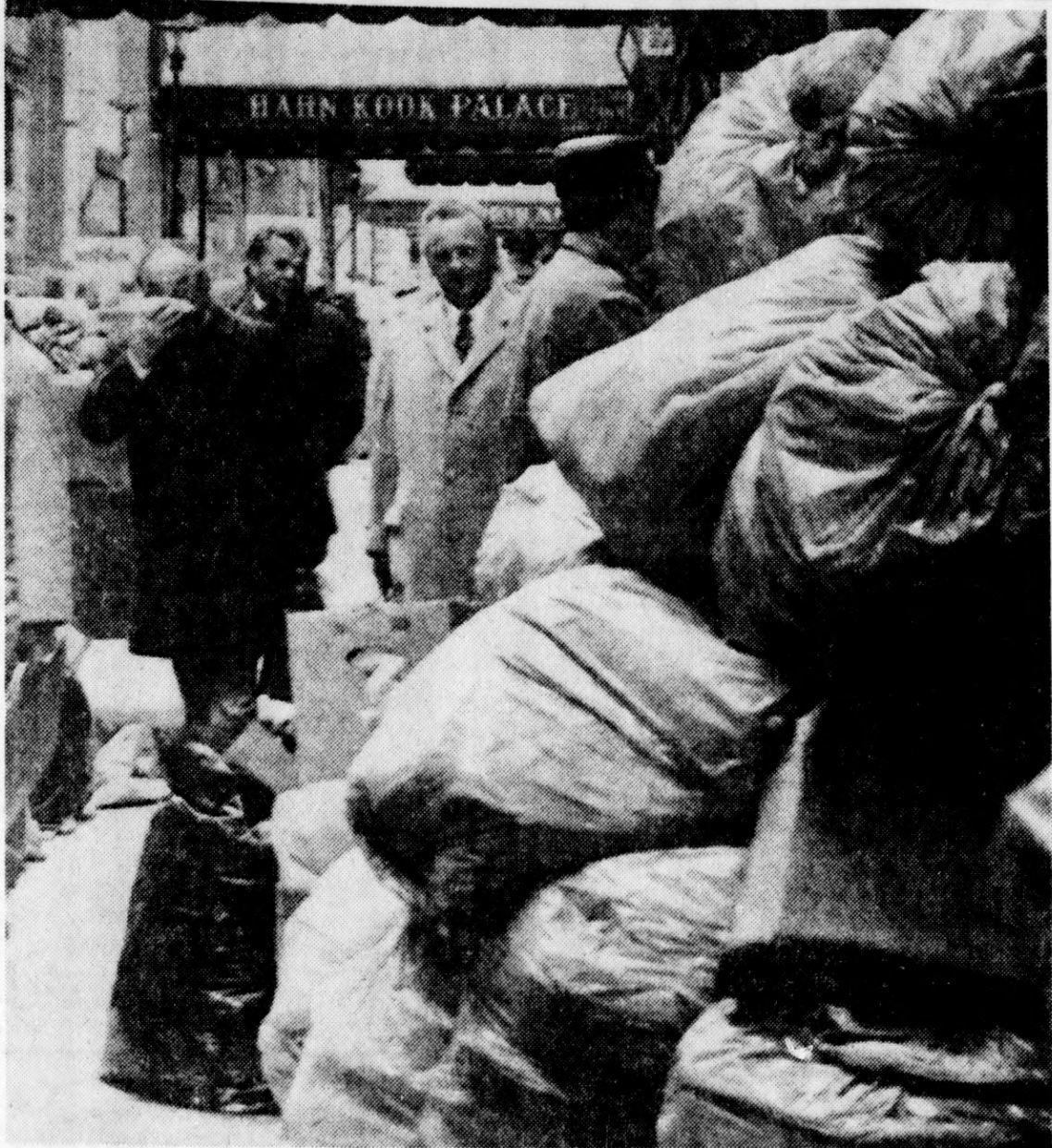
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Athletic Policy For Girls Adopted By Covert Board

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Supt. William Randall said the new policy was adopted as mandated by the federal government. He said the school district has had a policy guaranteeing equal opportunity regardless of race or religion, but did not have one concerning a student's sex.

The few policy states that girls may participate in non-contact sports, including but not limited to, track and field, tennis, golf, bowling, swimming and diving. Selection of participants is to be based on athletic ability, according to the policy.

Two other policies approved covered procedure for graduation and baccalaureate exercises, and recognition of students who graduate with high grade point averages.

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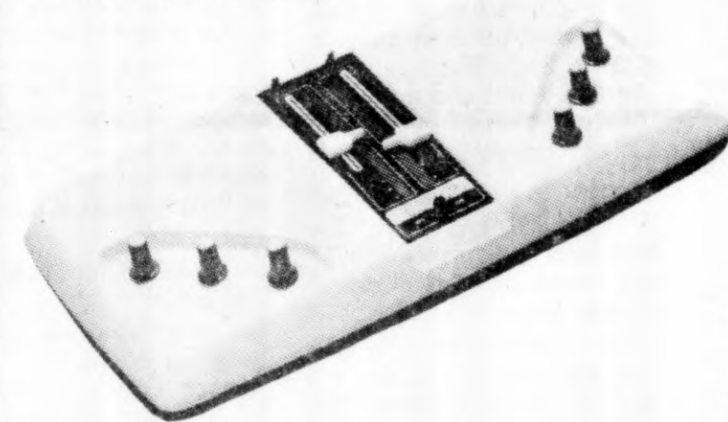
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By DENNIS COGSWELL
PAW PAW — John Hamilton, 29, also known as John Bonacci, 90 North Shore drive, South Haven, was sentenced yesterday in Van Buren circuit court to

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Hamilton is alleged to have sold a quantity of suspected marijuana to a state police undercover agent on April 3, 1973 in South Haven.

The sentence was handed down by Judge David Anderson Jr. who gave Hamilton credit for 126 days already served.

In arraignments, Sidney Dunning, 33, and Lanie Springer, 25, both of South Haven, each pleaded innocent to charges of breaking and entering a Covert township home Nov. 2.

Daniel W. Kilbourn, 18, Kalamazoo, pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny in a building in connection with the theft of three rifles from a Gobles home Nov. 5.

Ernesto Trevino, 20, Kalamazoo, pleaded innocent to a charge of breaking and entering in connection with the same case.

Jerry Ulrich, 25, Bangor, pleaded innocent to a charge of embezzlement in connection with the alleged theft of about \$16,000 over a 10-month period this year from Michigan SLP, Inc., Bangor, where he was employed.

Three people arrested by South Haven police Nov. 4 during a crackdown on alleged drug trafficking were also arraigned.

Dennis Hammond, 20, 300 Erie street, South Haven, pleaded innocent to a charge of delivery of cocaine.

School Orders Plywood Bus Floors

THREE OAKS — The River Valley school board last night amended the purchase price of five school bus bodies ordered last month to include an additional \$190 each for plywood floors.

The board decided to pay the additional cost for plywood floors after it was learned the original bid price included metal rather than plywood floors.

The five, 66-passenger bus bodies have been ordered from the McFadden corporation, Lansing, at a cost of \$6,555 each. With plywood floors instead of metal, the cost per body will be \$6,745.

Five chassis have been ordered from Jim Hall Ford, Three Oaks, at a cost of \$9,575 each. Total cost for the five buses will be \$81,800.

In other areas, Dr. Charles Williams, school superintendent, told the board the Berrien county intermediate school board on Dec. 4 had denied the request of two property owners in the River Valley school district seeking to transfer to the Bridgman school district.

He said the two property owners, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth

Korcek and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Miller, had 10 days to appeal the decision. The River Valley school board had been on record as opposing the transfers.

The board appointed Dr. John Dooley, assistant superintendent, as Title Nine coordinator, a job in which he must see that the district complies with

federal regulations. He was instructed to develop a statement indicating there are equal employment opportunities within the district and athletics are open to girls as well as boys.

The board appointed six administrators to serve on a professional studies committee with six members of the River Valley Education association.

The committee, which is prescribed in the 1975-76 master contract, will discuss educational matters not related to the contract agreement.

The administrators appointed to the committee were Dr. Williams, Mrs. Peggy Topping, Jay Medek, Peter Petros, Robert Schroeder, and Donald Bussler.

Royalton Slates Yule Party For Officials

In a brief meeting last night, the Royalton township board approved bills totaling \$12,089 and agreed to hold a Christmas party for township officers and members of the planning commission, according to Otto Jasper, township clerk.

Woman Asks Hearing In Stabbing

PAW PAW — A Marcellus woman was ordered held on \$2,000 bond yesterday following her arraignment in Van Buren Seventh district court on a charge of assault with intent to commit murder.

Evelyn Colburn, 21, demanded a preliminary examination on the charge, which stemmed from the stabbing Sunday of a friend, Jack Rutty, 36, route 1, Marcellus, at the home of Miss Colburn's stepfather, Ralph German, 38th street, Decatur.

A hearing was scheduled for Dec. 16.

Colburn, who was stabbed once in the right side of the back with a butcher knife, remained in fair condition at Bronson hospital, Kalamazoo.

The police followed an argument, stabbing police said.

In another case, Richard Boane, 38, Kalamazoo, was released on his own recognizance after demanding preliminary examination on a charge of driving under the influence of intoxicants, third offense, Saturday on Van Kal road in Almena township.

Today In History

By Associated Press
Today is Tuesday, Dec. 9, the 343rd day of 1975. There are 22 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1941, Japanese troops invaded the Philippines at the beginning of the Pacific war.

On this date:

In 1808, the English poet, John Milton, was born in London.

In 1793, Noah Webster established New York's first daily newspaper.

In 1905, the separation of church and state was decreed in France.

In 1940, British troops opened their first big offensive in North Africa in World War II.

In 1944, Allied troops cracked German defense lines near Aachen, Germany.

In 1956, Robert Welch Jr. and 11 other men met in Indianapolis and formed a political organization they called the John Birch society.

Ten years ago: Anastas Mikoyan, who was among the last of the old Bolsheviks, stepped down as the Soviet chief of state.

Five years ago: President

Richard Nixon said the United States would resume the bombing of North Vietnam if the Communist side stepped up the South Vietnamese war.

One year ago: Pope Paul took the final steps toward the elevation of American-born Elizabeth Ann Seton to sainthood.

Today's birthdays: Actor Kirk Douglas is 59 years old. One-time actor Douglas Fairbanks Jr. is 68.

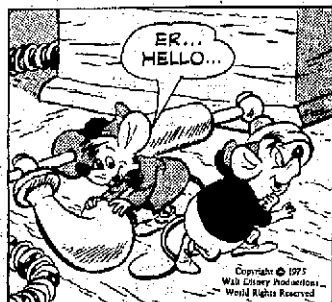
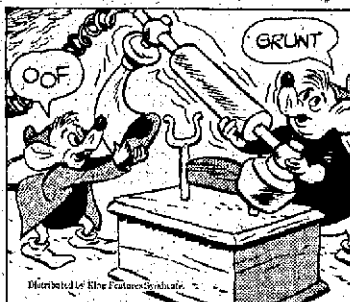
Thought for today: Freud was way off base in considering sex the fundamental motivation. The ruling passion in men is minding each other's business — poet Robert Frost, 1874-1963.

Bicentennial footnote: 200 years ago today, Gen. George Washington's fleet captured two more British transports, both loaded with provisions intended for British troops at Boston.

ATTENDS TRIAL

MOSCOW (AP) — Andrei Sakharov went to Lithuania today to attend the trial of another critic of the Soviet government, biologist Sergi Kovalev, as his wife flew to Norway to receive the 1975 Nobel Peace Prize for him.

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By Bert Becharach

KNOW WHAT most people fib about? It's their age, the number of times they go to church and how often they brush their teeth!

Handwriting Tip: Wide spaces between the words and lines of writing reveal generosity. Thrift is indicated by closely-written words and lines . . . Sagittarians (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) are apt to be interested in practically everything, but have trouble following through — as they often spread themselves too thin . . . Item for a Lull-In-Conversation: "When an average American child reaches 18 years, he has spent 26,800 hours watching television, more time than he's spent in the classroom!" . . . Doodles that are just straight horizontal lines, one under the other, show self-control. Vertical straight lines, one next to the other, show self-confidence . . . Dream interpreters say a dream about white doves signifies happy domestic affairs and a peaceful solution to any disagreement which is troubling you. A flock of doves predicts imminent travel.

BEAUTY WINT from Janet ("Murder Among Friends") Leigh: If you faithfully drink at least six glasses of water a day, your complexion should be radiant, and you should never require cosmetics to hide blemishes. "Water," she adds, "purifies the system." . . . **Sports Fans:** There has to be a record of some kind in the pre-1820 days. Jack Britton and Ted "Kid" Lewis, top welterweights of the period, fought no less than 22 times! . . . **Famous Last Words:** "Let's eat out at a restaurant tonight. We'll have a good time, and it can't cost us more than a couple of bucks each." The world's highest

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KITCHEN-SNOOPING: If an egg has a very thin shell, or is chipped or likely to crack when being boiled, add a few drops of vinegar to the water (Rene Pujol Restaurant, NYC). . . . Add a dash of paprika to oil when frying chicken for a golden brown (Sid Allen's, N.J.). . . . Soak bacon in sweet milk for a half hour. Dip in flour and fry for extra crispness and delicious flavor (Maude's, NYC).

FAMOUS LAST WORDS: "I don't need a flu shot, Doc. I haven't had a cold in the last two years." . . . Overworked Expression: "So what else is new?" . . . A Chinese entry favorite is shrimps with lobster sauce — but La Scala, in NYC, reports that their biggest selling Friday special is spaghetti with lobster sauce! . . . **Bar-Snooping** at The Saloon, Beverly Hills: For a different dinner drink, try the Black Velvet — champagne and stout. . . . No commercial preparation can wash out the eyes as well as having a good old-fashioned cry, according to a doctor. . . . Exercise Tip from Terry (Century West Club) Robinson: "To exercise leg muscles and restore circulation, place hands on top of upper thigh while seated, press feet firmly against floor, and push on hands as if trying to get up." . . . Sign posted in front of a Broadway savings bank: "We Have Temperamental Money. It Wants to Be a Loan!"

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f ☐ If you claim the "Married filing jointly" exemption, check "Yes" or "No" (If you check "Yes," you must also check "Yes" on line 12, and enter on line 16, filing tax rate)

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TO LIGHT A PIPE: George Long of Newark, Delaware, shows how America's settlers lit their pipes before the day of matches. . . with a magnifying glass to gather the sun's rays. (AP Wirephoto)

South Havenite Sentenced To Six-Month Jail Term

By DENNIS COGSWELL
Paw Paw Bureau
PAW PAW — John Hamilton, 29, also known as John Bonacci, 90 North Shore drive, South Haven, was sentenced yesterday in Van Buren circuit court to

serve six months in the county jail as a result of his guilty plea to a charge of delivery of marijuana. Hamilton is alleged to have sold a quantity of suspected marijuana to a state police undercover agent on April 3, 1973 in South Haven.

The sentence was handed down by Judge David Anderson Jr. who gave Hamilton credit for 126 days already served.

In arraignments, Sidney Dunning, 33, and Lanie Springer, 25, both of South Haven, each pleaded innocent to charges of breaking and entering a Covert township home Nov. 2.

Daniel W. Kilbourn, 18, Kalamazoo, pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny in a building in connection with the theft of three rifles from a Gobles home Nov. 5.

Ernesto Trevino, 20, Kalamazoo, pleaded innocent to a charge of breaking and entering in connection with the same case.

Jerry Ulrich, 25, Bangor, pleaded innocent to a charge of embezzlement in connection with the alleged theft of about \$16,000 over a 10-month period this year from Michigan Slip, Inc., Bangor, where he was employed.

Three people arrested by South Haven police Nov. 4 during a crackdown on alleged drug trafficking were also arraigned.

Dennis Hammond, 20, 300 Erie street, South Haven, pleaded innocent to a charge of delivery of cocaine.

Woman Asks Hearing In Stabbing

PAW PAW — A Marcellus woman was ordered held on \$2,000 bond yesterday following her arraignment in Van Buren Seventh district court on a charge of assault with intent to commit murder.

Evelyn Colburn, 21, demanded a preliminary examination on the charge, which stemmed from the stabbing Sunday of a friend, Jack Ruty, 36, route 1, Marcellus, at the home of Miss Colburn's stepfather, Ralph German, 39th street, Decatur.

A hearing was scheduled for Dec. 16.

Colburn, who was stabbed once in the right side of the back with a butcher knife, remained in fair condition at Bronson hospital, Kalamazoo.

The stabbing followed an argument, police said.

In another case, Richard Beane, 39, Kalamazoo, was released on his own recognizance after demanding preliminary examination on a charge of driving under the influence of intoxicants, third offense, Saturday on Van Kal road in Alma township.

NOW SEE HERE! By Bert Bacharach

KNOW WHAT most people fib about? It's their age, the number of times they go to church and how often they brush their teeth!

Handwriting Tip: Wide spaces between the words and lines of writing reveal generosity. Thrift is indicated by closely-written words and lines.

Sagittarians (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) are apt to be interested in practically everything, but have trouble following through — as they often spread themselves too thin. . . Item for a Lull-in-Conversation: "When an average American child reaches 18 years, he has spent 20,000 hours watching television, more time than he's spent in the classroom!" . . . Doodles that are just straight horizontal lines, one under the other, show self-control. Vertical straight lines, one next to the other, show self-confidence. . . Dream interpreters say a dream about white doves signifies happy domestic affairs and a peaceful solution to any disagreement which is troubling you. A flock of doves predicts imminent travel.

BEAUTY HINT from Janet ("Murder Among Friends") Leigh: If you faithfully drink at least six glasses of water a day, your complexion should be radiant, and you should never require cosmetics to hide blemishes. "Water," she adds, "purifies the system." . . . Sports Fans: There has to be a record of some kind in the pre-1920 days. Jack Britton and Ted "Kid" Lewis, top welter-weights of the period, fought no less than 22 times! . . . Famous Last Words: "Let's eat out at a restaurant tonight. We'll have a good time, and it can't cost us more than a couple of bucks each." The world's highest

wine cellar, 1,300 feet above the ground at the club atop the World Trade Center, will stock 10,000 bottles! . . . Bar-Snooping: Cocktail favorite of Suzanne ("Bottoms Up '76") Buhrer: One ounce of Galliano, half ounce of cointreau, half ounce of orange juice, half ounce of cream and cracked ice.

KITCHEN-SNOOPING: If an egg has a very thin shell, or is chipped or likely to crack when being boiled, add a few drops of vinegar to the water (Rene Pujol Restaurant, NYC). . . Add a dash of paprika to oil when frying chicken for a golden brown (Sid Allen's, N.J.). . . Soak bacon in sweet milk for a half hour. Dip in flour and fry for extra crispness and delicious flavor (Maude's, NYC).

FAMOUS LAST WORDS: "I don't need a flu shot, Doc. I haven't had a cold in the last two years." . . . Overworked Expression: "So what else is new?" . . . A Chinese eatery favorite is shrimps with lobster sauce — but La Scala, in NYC, reports that their biggest selling Friday special is spaghetti with lobster sauce! . . . Bar-Snooping at The Saloon, Beverly Hills: For a different dinner drink, try the Black Velvet — champagne and stout. . . No commercial preparation can wash out the eyes as well as having a good old-fashioned cry, according to a doctor. . . Exercise Tip from Terry (Century West Club) Robinson: "To exercise leg muscles and restore circulation, place hands on top of upper thigh while seated, press feet firmly against floor, and push on hands as if trying to get up." . . . Sign posted in front of a Broadway savings bank: "We Have Temperamental Money. It Wants to Be a Loan!"

School Orders Plywood Bus Floors

THREE OAKS — The River Valley school board last night amended the purchase price of five school bus bodies ordered last month to include an additional \$190 each for plywood floors.

The board decided to pay the additional cost for plywood floors after it was learned the original bid price included metal rather than plywood floors.

The five, 66-passenger bus bodies have been ordered from the McFadden corporation, Lansing, at a cost of \$6,555 each. With plywood floors instead of metal, the cost per body will be \$6,745.

Five chassis have been ordered from Jim Hall Ford, Three Oaks, at a cost of \$9,575 each. Total cost for the five buses will be \$81,600.

In other areas, Dr. Charles Williams, school superintendent, told the board the Berrien county intermediate school board on Dec. 4 had denied the request of two property owners in the River Valley school district seeking to transfer to the Bridgman school district.

He said the two property owners, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth

Korcek and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Miller, had 10 days to appeal the decision. The River Valley school board had been on record as opposing the transfers.

The board appointed Dr. John Dooley, assistant superintendent, as Title Nine coordinator, a job in which he must see that the district complies with

federal regulations. He was instructed to develop a statement indicating there are equal employment opportunities within the district and athletics are open to girls as well as boys.

The board appointed six administrators to serve on a professional studies committee with six members of the River Valley Education association.

The committee, which is prescribed in the 1975-76 master contract, will discuss educational matters not related to the contract agreement.

The administrators appointed to the committee were Dr. Williams, Mrs. Peggy Topping, Jay Medek, Peter Petros, Robert Schroeder, and Donald Bussler.

Royalton Slates Yule Party For Officials

In a brief meeting last night, the Royalton township board approved bills totaling \$12,089 and agreed to hold a Christmas party for township officers and members of the planning commission, according to Otto Jasper, township clerk.

Today In History

By Associated Press
Today is Tuesday, Dec. 9, the 343rd day of 1975. There are 22 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1941, Japanese troops invaded the Philippines at the beginning of the Pacific war.

On this date: In 1608, the English poet, John Milton, was born in London.

In 1793, Noah Webster established New York's first daily newspaper.

In 1905, the separation of church and state was decreed in France.

In 1940, British troops opened their first big offensive in North Africa in World War II.

In 1944, Allied troops cracked German defense lines near Aachen, Germany.

In 1958, Robert Welch Jr. and 11 other men met in Indianapolis and formed a political organization they called the John Birch society.

Ten years ago: Anastas Mikoyan, who was among the last of the old Bolsheviks, stepped down as the Soviet chief of state.

Five years ago: President

Richard Nixon said the United States would resume the bombing of North Vietnam if the Communist side stepped up the South Vietnamese war.

One year ago: Pope Paul took the final steps toward the elevation of American-born Elizabeth Ann Seton to sainthood.

Today's birthdays: Actor Kirk Douglas is 59 years old. One-time actor Douglas Fairbanks Jr. is 66.

Thought for today: Freud was way off base in considering sex the fundamental motivation. The ruling passion in men is minding each other's business — poet Robert Frost, 1874-1963.

Bicentennial footnote: 200 years ago today, Gen. George Washington's fleet captured two more British transports, both loaded with provisions intended for British troops at Boston.

ATTENDS TRIAL
MOSCOW (AP) — Andrei Sakharov went to Lithuania today to attend the trial of another critic of the Soviet government, biologist Sergi Kovalev, as his wife flew to Norway to receive the 1975 Nobel Peace Prize for him.



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2 ☐ Married filer

3 ☐ Married filer here

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5 ☐ Widower ()

6 ☐ Presidential Elect

7 ☐ Campaign Fund

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9 ☐ Dividends ()

10 ☐ Interest income

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Individual Income Tax Return

Last name

COUNTY OF RESIDENCE

YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

1975

Exemptions

6a Yourself ☐ Regular / 65 or over / Blind

b Spouse ☐ Enter number of dependents claimed

c First names of your dependent children who lived with you

d Number of other dependents (from line 26)

19 ☐ Total exemptions claimed

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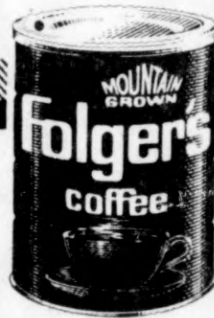
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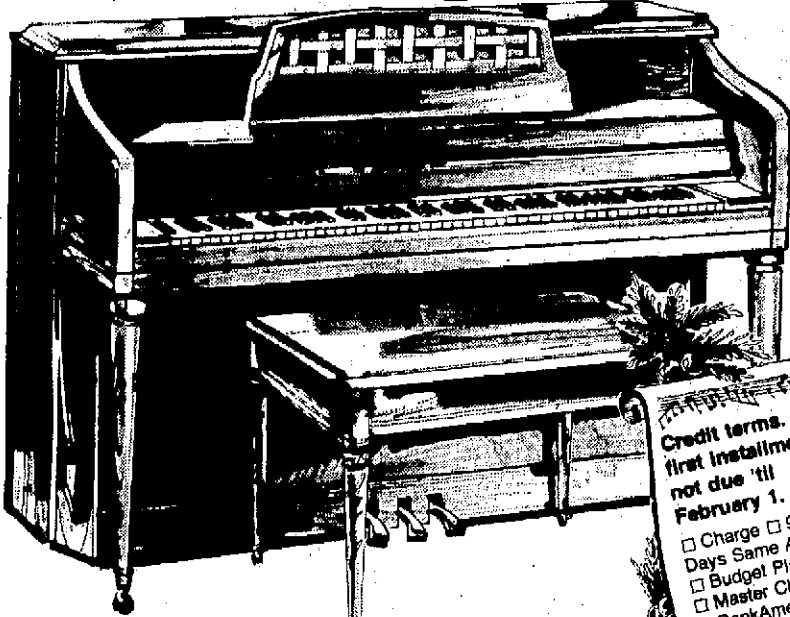
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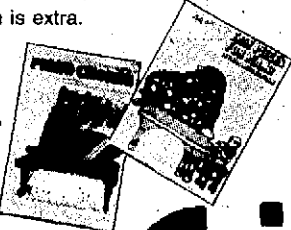
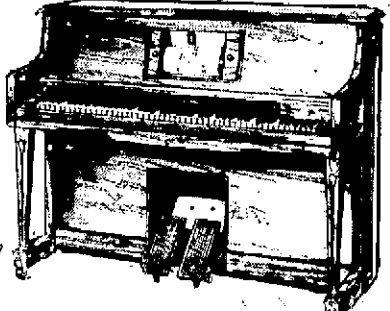
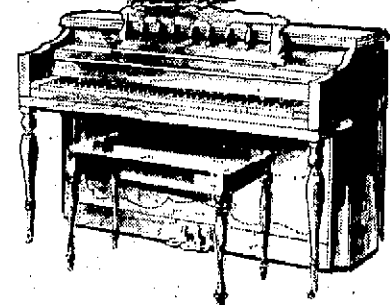
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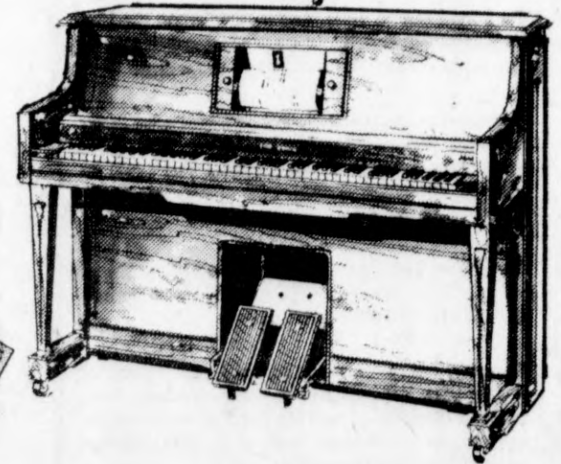
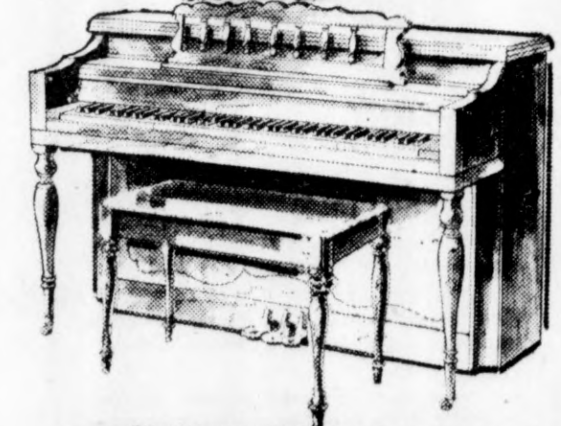
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The bill provides two new staffers in the Office of Services to the Aging. One would coordinate and combine various food programs to help feed the elderly, and the other would meet with senior citizens groups to inform them about the programs and help them set up food cooperatives.

"Most of them don't want charity — they resent charity," said Sen. John Hertel, D-Detroit, sponsor of the bill. "This will make them able to help themselves."

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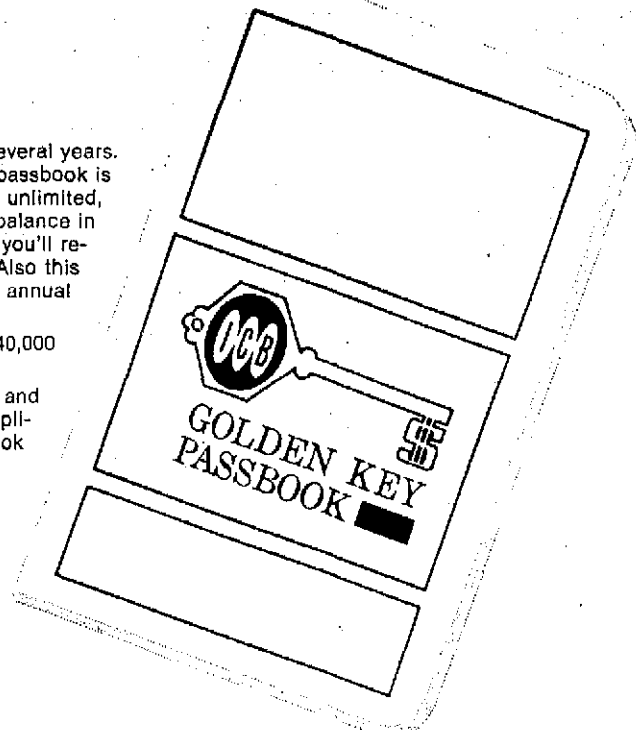
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SMOK-Y LINKS

10 OZ.

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HONEY LOAF

8 OZ.

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PRESSED LOAF

8 OZ.

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BAR-B-LOAF

8 OZ.

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STRAWBERRY PRESERVES 18 oz.

69¢

KIDD'S MARSHMALLOW CREME 13 oz.

59¢

FRESHLIKE SHOESTRING BEETS OR CARROTS 12 oz.

5 for \$1

CHOC-O-CHIPS - SCOTLAD 12 oz.

79¢

TOMATO SAUCE - STOKELY 6 oz.

5 for \$1

MARCEL SANDWICH BAGS

4 for 99¢

VEG-ALL FRESHLIKE 16 oz.

3 for 99¢

ARMOUR

VIENNA SAUSAGE 5 oz.

2 for 89¢

TREND DETERGENT

12 1/4 OZ.

3 for 99¢

APPLESAUCE-STOKELY

12 OZ.

3 for 89¢

ROOT BEER-FAYGO

48 OZ.

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TOMATO JUICE-STOKELY

46 OZ.

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SAUERKRAUT-STOKELY

16 OZ.

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FLUFFED SHORTENING

3 LB.

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CAKE MIX-JIFFY

HUNT'S - 29 OZ.

PEACH HALVES OR SLICES

4 for \$1

49¢

CORN MUFFIN MIX-JIFFY

4 for 89¢

Bonnie HOT SLICES

LB.

3 for \$1

BONNIE - DOZEN PACK

BROWN-N-SERVE ROLLS

3 for \$1

BUY LOW PRODUCE

Michigan

APPLES Red Delicious

4 LB. Bag

48¢

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3 LB. BAG

38¢

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ORANGES

DOZEN

88¢

Borden's Old Fashioned

ICE CREAM

HALF GALLON

\$1.19

Scrambler

Answer to Previous Puzzle

ACROSS
1 Direction
2 Finished
3 Church seat
4 Athens
5 Bonus of
6 Swans
7 River (Sp.)
8 Masculine
9 appellation
10 Gold (Sp.)
11 Got on
12 Chosen by
13 Diamond-
14 gutter's cups
15 Beetle
16 Stitch
17 Chef's
18 implements
19 Ratchet
20 Pigments
21 Indian
22 Hippo
23 Kind of milk
24 Head (Fr.)
25 Biomech
26 Body of water
27 High card

DOWN
1 Uncommon
2 Siren
3 Speechify
4 Samuel's
5 teacher (Bib.)
6 Malay
7 archipelago
8 Moslem bigwig
9 Having pedal
10 digite
11 U.S. coin
12 Dance step
13 Being (Latin)
14 Makes lace
15 Extends
16 Ireland
17 Mahogany
18 Takes as one's
19 own
20 Resinous
21 substance
22 Positions
23 Petty quarrel
24 Alleluia
25 Flowering
26 South Pacific
27 island
28 Exclamation
29 Mother of
30 Caster (myth.)
31 Female
32 relative
33 Customer
34 Groups of
35 lions
36 Build
37 Jump
38 Female
39 appellation
40 Seth's son
41 On the briny
42 Color
43 lightly
44 Dines
45 Poem

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TELEVISION LOG

This Evening

3 p.m.
2,1,22 All In The Family
5,8,16 Another World
7,12,28 General Hospital
9 Farmer's Daughter
3:30 p.m.
2,1,22 Match Game
7,12,28 One Life To Live
9 Father Knows Best
4 p.m.
2,1,22 Tattletales
5 Kukla, Fran and Ollie
7,28 Edge Of Night
8 Gilligan's Island
9 Flintstones
12 Mickey Mouse Club
16 Special Treat
4:30 p.m.
2,1,22 Dinah Shore
22 Mike Douglas
% Shari Show
7 Movie
8 Partridge Family
8,28 Mickey Mouse Club
12 I Love Lucy
5 p.m.
5 Special Treat
8 Ironside
28 Dinah
12 Beverly Hillsbillies
9,16 Gilligan's Island
3:30 p.m.
9 Cartoons
13 News
16 I Love Lucy
6 p.m.
2,1,2,5,7,8,12,16,28 News
9 I Dream of Jeannie
6:30 p.m.
2,1,2,5,7,8,12,16,28 News
9 Bewitched
12 Adam 12
7 p.m.
2,1,2,5,7,8,22 News
3 Concentration
9 Andy Griffith

Tomorrow

8 a.m.
2 News
2,22 Captain Kangaroo
5,8,16 Today Show
7,12,28 Good Morning America
9 Ray Rayner
9 a.m.
2 Captain Kangaroo
3 Channel 3 Clubhouse
8 Buck Matthews
13 Movie
16 Leave It To Beaver
22 Home Makers Time
28 Phil Donahue
9:30 a.m.
3 Accent
8 Not For Women Only
9 Garfield Goose
16 Lucy Show
10 a.m.
2,22 Magazine
5,8,16 Celebrity Sweepstakes
3 The New Price Is Right
7 A.M. Chicago
9 Movie
28 A.M. Michiana
10:30 a.m.
5,8,16 Wheel of Fortune
13 Edge Of Night
11 a.m.
6 High Rollers
13 Showoffs
2,2,22 Gambit
28 New Zoo Revue
11:30 a.m.
2,2,22 Love of Life
5,8,16 Hollywood Squares
7,12,28 Happy Days
12 Noon
2,2,22 Young and The Restless
5,16 High Rollers
7,28 Showoffs
8,12 News
9 Phil Donahue Show
12:30 p.m.
2,1,22 Search for Tomorrow
5,16 Magnificent Marble
Machine
9:00 Only You
7,12,28 All My Children
8 Mike Douglas
1 p.m.
2 Lee Phillip
3 Accent
5 News
7,12,28 Ryan's Hope
9 Bozo's Circus
16 Somerset
22 Afternoon Show
1:30 p.m.
2,2,22 As The World Turns
5,8,16 Days of Our Lives
7,12,28 Let's Make A Deal
2 p.m.
7,12,28 10,000 Pyramid
9 Bewitched
2:30 p.m.
2,2,22 Guiding Light
5,8,16 The Doctors
7,12,28 Rhyme and Reason
9 Love, American Style

RADIO LOG

3:00 P.M.
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WJOL-Don Seckus
WJOL-Edith Hubbard
WOOW-Afternoon Show
3:30 P.M.
WJOL-Lee Emerson
WOOW-Afternoon Show
4:00 P.M.
WJOL-Craig
WJOL-Bill Berg
WJOL-News: Sports
WOOW-News: Sports
3:30 P.M.
WJOL-Jim Stoddard
WOOW-Late News & Show
4:00 P.M.
WJOL-News: Sports
WOOW-News: Sports
4:30 P.M.
WJOL-Music
WOOW-Music
7:00 P.M.
WJOL-Sign Off
8:00 P.M.
WJOL-News: Music
WOOW-Music Unlimited
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Wednesday

8:00 A.M.
WJOL-News: Breakfast Club
WJOL-Mike Berek
WJOL-Wally Phillips
WOOW-Afternoon Show
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Scrambler

Answer to Previous Puzzle

ACROSS
1 Direction
9 Church seat
12 Athena
13 Genus of swans
14 River (Sp.)
15 Masculine appellation
17 Gold (Sp.)
18 Got on
19 Chosen by ballot
21 Diamond-cutter's cups
23 Beetle
24 Stitch
27 Chef's implements
29 Pigments
32 Indian
34 Help
37 Kind of milk
38 Head (Fr.)
39 Blamish
41 Body of water
42 High card

44 Uncommon
46 Siren
49 Speechify
53 Samuel's teacher (Bib.)
54 Malay archipelago
56 Moslem bigwig
57 Having pedal digits
58 U.S. coin
59 Being (Latin)
60 Dance step
61 Makes lace

DOWN
1 Women's military unit (ab.)
2 Girl's name
3 Aruspe
4 Assessed
5 Put on
6 Of greatest age
7 Christmas carol
8 Made mistakes
9 Extends
10 Ireland
11 Mahogany
16 Takes as one's own
20 Resinous substance
22 Positions
24 Petty quarrel
25 Alleluia
26 Flowering plants
28 South Pacific islands
30 Exclamation
31 Mother of Castor (myth.)
33 Female relative
35 Customer
40 Groups of lions
43 Cream
45 Build
46 Jump
47 Female appellation
48 Seth's son (Bib.)
50 On the briny
51 Color lightly
52 Dines
55 Poem

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TELEVISION LOG

This Evening

3 p.m.
2,3,22 All In The Family
5,8,16 Another World
7,13,28 General Hospital
9 Farmer's Daughter
3:30 p.m.
2,3,22 Match Game
7,13,28 One Life To Live
9 Father Knows Best
4 p.m.
2,3,22 Tattletales
5 Kukla, Fran And Ollie
7,28 Edge Of Night
8 Gilligan's Island
9 Flintstones
13 Mickey Mouse Club
16 Special Treat
4:30 p.m.
2,3, Dinah Shore
22 Mike Douglas
% Shari Show
7 Movie
8 Partridge Family
9,28 Mickey Mouse Club
13 I Love Lucy
5 p.m.
5 Special Treat
8 Ironside
28 Dinah
13 Beverly Hillbillies
9,16 Gilligan's Island
5:30 p.m.
9 Cartoons
13 News
16 I Love Lucy
6 p.m.
2,3,5,7,8,13,16,22 News
9 I Dream Of Jeannie
6:30 p.m.
2,3,5,7,8,16,22,28 News
9 Bewitched
13 Adam 12
7 p.m.
2,5,7,8,22 News
3 Concentration
9 Andy Griffith

13 Truth or Consequences
16 Ironside
28 Gunsmoke
7:30 p.m.
2 News
3 Candid Camera
5 Name That Tune
8 Hollywood Squares
9 Dick VanDyke
13 To Tell The Truth
22 Adam 12
8 p.m.
2,3,22 Good Times
8 America
5,16 Movin' On
7,13,28 Santa Claus is Coming to Town Days
9 Movie
8:30 p.m.
2,3,22 'Twas The Night Before Christmas
9 p.m.
2,3,22 MASH
5,8,16 Police Woman
7,13,28 Rookies
9:30 a.m.
2,3,22 All In The Family
10 p.m.
2,3,22 Switch
5,8,16 Joe Forrester
7,13,28 Marcus Welby, M.D.
9 Vaudeville
11 p.m.
2,3,5,7,8,9,13,16,22 News
28 Virginian
11:30 p.m.
2,22 Movie
9 Movie
7,13 Wide World of Entertainment
5,8,16 Johnnie Carson

Tomorrow

8 a.m.
2 News
3,22 Captain Kangaroo
5,8,16 Today Show
7,13,28 Good Morning America
9 Ray Rayer
9 a.m.
2 Captain Kangaroo
3 Channel 3 Clubhouse
8 Buck Matthews
13 Movie
16 Leave It To Beaver
22 Home Makers Time
28 Phil Donahue
9:30 a.m.
3 Accent
8 Not For Women Only
9 Garfield Goose
16 Lucy Show
10 a.m.
2,22 Magazine
5,8,16 Celebrity Sweepstakes
3 The New Price Is Right
7 A.M. Chicago
9 Movie
28 A.M. Michiana
10:30 a.m.
5,8,16 Wheel of Fortune
13 Edge Of Night
11 a.m.
8 High Rollers
13 Showoffs
2,22 Gambit
28 New Zoo Revue
11:30 a.m.
2,3,22 Love of Life
5,8,16 Hollywood Squares
7,13,28 Happy Days
12 Noon
2,3,22 Young and The Restless
5,16 High Rollers
7,28 Showoffs
8,13 News
9 Phil Donahue Show
12:30 p.m.
2,3,22 Search for Tomorrow
5,16 Magnificent Marble Machine
7,13,28 All My Children
8 Mike Douglas
1 p.m.
2 Lee Phillip
3 Accent
5 News
7,13,28 Ryan's Hope
9 Bozo's Circus
16 Somerset
22 Afternoon Show
1:30 p.m.
2,3,22 As The World Turns
5,8,16 Days of Our Lives
7,13,28 Let's Make A Deal
2 p.m.
7,13,28 10,000 Pyramid
9 Bewitched
2:30 p.m.
2,3,22 Guiding Light
5,8,16 The Doctors
7,13,28 Rhyme and Reason
9 Love, American Style

WHFB
ABC AFFILIATE
1060 ON DIAL

3:05—The Chuck Campbell Show
3:30—News Round-Up
3:40—Sportscast
3:45—Viewpoint
4:00—ABC News
4:30—Local News/Weather
4:50—Local Sports W/Campbell
5:00—Eve. Local News W/Kelly
5:15—Sign-off

TOMORROW
7:15—Sign-On Morning Show W/Frank Roberts
News/Weather/Music
7:30—Local News
7:35—Sports Page
8:00—Major News Cast
8:15—Weathercast
8:20—Earl Nightingale
8:25—ABC's Howard Cosell
8:30—Paul Harvey News
9:00—ABC News
9:05—Frank Roberts Show
10:00—ABC News
10:05—Lee Murray Show
10:30—Voice of the People
11:00—ABC News
11:05—12—Brunch to Lunch
12:00 NOON—Major News Cast
12:15—Farm "30" W/Kelly
12:45—Paul Harvey Show
1:00—ABC News On-The-Hour
Local News On-Half-Hour
1:05—John Doremus Show
3:05—The Chuck Campbell Show
3:30—News Roundup
3:40—Viewpoint
3:45—Sportscast
4:00—ABC News

WHFB-FM
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3:00—Together
5:45—Major Newscast
6:00—Earl Nightingale
6:05—Touching
6:15—Stock Market Reports
8:45—Community Communique
9:00—John Doremus Show
10:00—Love Shadows
11:45—Local News
12:00—Mid. Sign-off
TOMORROW
5:30-8:00—Sign-On Morning Show W/Frank Roberts
News/Weather/Music
6:30—Local News
7:00—ABC News
7:30—Local News
7:35—Sports Page
8:00—15-Min. Major Newscast
ABC News :15 After Hour
Local News :45 Before Hour
8:45—Community Communique
9:00—Only You
11:45—Major Newscast
12:00—Searching
1:00—Community Communique
3:00—Together
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6:00—Earl Nightingale
6:05—Touching
6:15—Stock Market Reports
8:45—Community Communique
9:00—John Doremus Show
10:00—Love Shadows
11:45—Local News
12:00—Sign-off

RADIO LOG

3:00 P.M.
WJOR—Bulletin Board; Hymns
WSJM—Don Backus
WGN—Eddie Hubbard
WDOW—Afternoon Show
3:30 P.M.
WJOR—Lee Emerson
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WDOW—Afternoon Show; Earl Nightingale
5:00 P.M.
WSJM—Craig "The Kind" Cole
WGN—Bill Berg
WJOR—News; Sports
WDOW—News; Sports
5:30 P.M.
WJOR—Jan Rusk
WDOW—Lum & Abner
6:00 P.M.
WSJM—News; Sports
WDOW—News; Night Beat
6:30 P.M.
WSJM—Music
WDOW—Night Beat
7:00 P.M.
WJOR—Sign Off
8:00 P.M.
WSJM—News; Music
WGN—Music Unlimited
9:00 P.M.
WSJM—Jim Stoddard
WGN—Baseball
11:00 P.M.
WDOW—Sign Off

Wednesday

8:00 A.M.
WJOR—News; Breakfast Club
WSJM—Mike Berlik
WGN—Wally Phillips
WDOW—Morning Show
WBGM—News; Music
9:00 A.M.
WJOR—Alice Flood Show
WSJM—Mike Anderson
WDOW—Sound Off
9:30 A.M.
WJOR—Sound Off
10:00 A.M.
WJOR—Ralph Show
WDOW—Morning Show
11:00 A.M.
WGN—Roy Leonard
WJOR—Ralph Emery
12:00 NOON
WSJM—News
WJOR—News; Farm Report
12:30 P.M.
WSJM—Sound Off
WGN—Farm Show
WSJM—Sound Off
WJOR—Radio
1:30 P.M.
WSJM—Bill Cullen; Music
WJOR—Lee Emerson
2:00 P.M.
WSJM—Don Backus
WGN—Roy Leonard

Wayne Dropping Out Of Favor?

NEW YORK (AP) — John Wayne is dropping out of favor with the movie-going public, if a list of the top 10 box office stars means anything. For the first time in 25 years, Wayne is not on the list. Robert Redford topped the stars, followed by Barbra Streisand. She was the only woman named.

They'll Do It Every Time

CRANSHAW, FIRST IN LINE AT THE BANK, FINISHES BUSINESS AND TURNS AWAY...
THANK YOU!
DUNN SCARD 12-9

THANK TO LOUIS T. MISSON, 342 N. WALKER AVE., BUFFALO, N.Y.
OOPS! I FORGOT— WOULD YOU ENTER MY INTEREST? OH—AND GIVE ME SOME DIME WRAPPERS— ETC.—ETC.—
THANK YOU!
DUNN SCARD 12-9

PEANUTS
I'VE BEEN READING UP ON FOOTBALL, SIR...
WHEN YOU FIRST ASKED ME TO PLAY, I DIDN'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT
THAT'S ALL CHANGED
NOW, I'M READY TO GET OUT THERE AND KICK AROUND THE OL' HOGSKIN!
12-9

Tunnel Safety Hearing Due On Thursday

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — A public hearing on the safety of tunnel construction will be held in Port Huron next Thursday, the fourth anniversary of the 1971 tunnel explosion which left 22 men dead there. Rep. David Bonior, D-Mount Clemens, head of a special House committee investigating the Port Huron and Mount Clemens tunnel blasts, said the hearing will be a forum for people affected by or involved in the tunnel construction industry.

FOR FAST RESULTS TRY CLASSIFIED ADS

Bureaucrats Are Overclassified

WASHINGTON (AP) — Many federal bureaucrats are overpaid because they are in pay classifications higher than those justified by their jobs, the General Accounting Office says. This practice accounts for much of the 600 per cent increase in payroll costs since the classification system began in 1949, a GAO report said. A copy of the report was obtained Monday.

BEETLE BAILEY

YUCK!
YUCK!
YUCK! DON'T YOU HAVE ANY RESPECT FOR MY FEELINGS, BEETLE?
12-9

BUGS BUNNY

I CAN'T BEAR T SEE HIM STANDIN' OUT THERE... IT'S FREEZIN'!
OKAY, SYLVESTER, C'MON IN, I'LL GIVE YA A BOWL O' HOT SOUP!
YOU ARE A GEM OF GENEROSITY, SIRE!
NEEDS SALT, AND IT COULD STAND A FEW MORE VEGETABLES!
12-9

MICKEY MOUSE

FURNITURE DEPT.
BUY THIS ONE FOR MY ROOM. IT TESTS OUT OKAY!
12-9

BLONDIE

ALL THESE NOTES FROM THE SUGGESTION BOX ARE ABOUT YOU
THIS ONE SAYS, "DITHERS IS A CHEAPSKATE, A TYRANT AND A MONSTER"
ARE THEY ALL LIKE THAT?
NO, SOME OF THEM ARE DOWNRIGHT INSULTING!
12-9

NANCY

MY BROKEN WALL PLASTER LOOKS AWFUL
I'LL MAKE IT LOOK BETTER
THE LEAST THEY COULD DO IS GET ME A NIGHT LIGHT.
12-9

WINTHROP

SOUNDS LIKE THEY'RE GETTING READY TO GO TO BED.
YEP, THERE THEY GO, UP THE STAIRS.
12-9

REX MORGAN, M.D.

MR. CONSTANTINE? MY NAME IS KEITH CAVELL! IT WAS MY IMPRESSION THAT VALERIE LAYNE WOULD NOT BE REQUIRED TO APPEAR AT THE INQUEST!
THAT'S NOT RIGHT, SIR!
DID SHE NOT GET MY MESSAGE THAT THE INQUEST IS BEING HELD A DAY EARLIER?
I'LL GET THE MESSAGE TO HER! THAT'S WHY I'M CALLING...
JUNE, WOULD YOU CALL MELISSA AND TELL HER I WON'T BE THERE FOR LUNCH--- I'LL CALL HER LATER!
12-9

MARY WORTH

MR. GIBSON SAID I WAS TO DELIVER THIS TO YOU ONLY, MR. MCGRATH!
THANKS! TELL HIM I'LL MAIL IT BACK AS SOON AS I READ IT!
SEE THAT I'M NOT DISTURBED FOR A LITTLE WHILE, PATTY!
VERY WELL, SIR!
AND A FEW MINUTES LATER...
"GRADUATED SECOND IN UNIVERSITY CLASS... HEALTH EXCELLENT!... RELEASED BY RENAULT, INC., AFTER THREE YEARS; REPLACED BY MR. RENAULT'S SON-IN-LAW!"
HMMM! A VERY IMPRESSIVE RESUME!
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JUDGE PARKER

SPENCER FARMS IS JUST DOWN THE ROAD HERE! SHOULD WE CALL FOR A BACKUP?
I DON'T THINK SO! IT WAS A FIGHT! THE HOSPITAL, THIS GUY BART'S FISTS ARE LETHAL WEAPONS!
FROM THE LOOKS OF THE ONE THAT WENT TO THE HOSPITAL, THIS GUY BART'S FISTS ARE LETHAL WEAPONS!
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7 1/4	3 1/4	Am Motors	8	24 1/4	15 1/4
32 1/4	43 1/4	Am Tel & Tel	48 3/4	19 3/4	8 1/4
42 1/4	30 1/4	Am Brands	34 1/4		
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56 1/4	36	Cities Svc	38 1/4	60 1/4	48 1/4
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12	7 1/4	Huyes-Abram Corp	12	7 1/4	11 1/4
12 1/4	4 1/4	Kochling	12 1/4	4 1/4	8 1/4
14 1/4	9 1/4	Melt Gas Utilities	14 1/4	9 1/4	10 1/4
10 1/4	5 1/4	National Standard	10 1/4	5 1/4	12
27 1/4	16 1/4	Pet. Inc.	27 1/4	16 1/4	23 1/4
90 1/4	67	Schlumberger	90 1/4	67	71 1/4
28 1/4	15 1/4	Whitpool Corp	28 1/4	15 1/4	25 1/4
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STAT began emergency ambulance service in the area after signing a 90-day interim contract with the Southwest Michigan Community Ambulance Service (SMCAS).

Charges against the firm and its officers were authorized by the Berrien county prosecutor's office after Robert Wilson, owner of Gold Crown Ambulance service, Niles, filed a complaint with Niles township police last Tuesday. Wilson discontinued emergency ambulance service to the area after Nov. 17.

Mrs. Kleaveland said at a public hearing held by SMCA last Wednesday, that STAT did not have a license to operate the ambulance from Nov. 17 to Dec. 3, but added that a license application was delivered to Lansing that day and it received verbal approval from the state.

SMCA will hold a second public hearing to determine what type of permanent ambulance service should be established in the Niles-Buchanan area, on Wednesday, Dec. 10, at 7:30 p.m. at Buchanan high school.

Storage Apple Prices

U.S.D.A. Federal-State Market News report of f.o.b. prices at western Michigan shipping points for Mon., Dec. 8, 1975.

Carsons 12-1/2 lb. film bag U.S. Fancy 24" & up
McIntosh, \$3.50-3.75
Jonathans, \$2.75-3.25, mostly \$3-3.25.
Red Delicious, \$3.75-4.
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Carsons Tray Pack U.S. Extra Fancy & Fancy
Red Del. 88-113s, \$5.25-5.50.
Jonathans 100-113s, \$4.25-4.50.
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NYC Package Is Coming Together

WASHINGTON (AP) — The elements of a federal package to keep New York City out of default are coming together, with the House ready to approve a change in federal bankruptcy laws and the Senate prepared to approve \$2.3 billion for loans to the city.

The change in the bankruptcy law, expected to be voted on today in the House, would permit orderly default by municipalities. President Ford has asked for the change.

Mercy Hospital

ADMISSIONS
Patients admitted to Mercy hospital during the past 24 hours include:

Benton Harbor — Mrs. Charles Bowman, 103 Quince; Mrs. Josephine Friske, Box 60, North Shore Estates; Marvin Hoyle, 406 Brunson; Kenneth Lomeno, 1941 Union; Mrs. Joseph Raccioni, route 3, 2136 Lynch; James Woods, 2181 Butler drive; Mrs. Otis Turner, 735 Buss; Mrs. Pearl O'Neal, P.O. Box 187; Mrs. Martha Glupker, 1862 Newman Terrace. Coloma — Mrs. William Ballard, 2509 Boyer road. Watervliet — John Hollman, P.O. Box 652.

Cook Plant Bond Sale Thursday

Indiana & Michigan Power Company will sell its million first-mortgage bonds in competitive bidding Thursday. Proceeds will be used to finance continued construction of Unit 2 at the Donald C. Cook nuclear plant at Bridgman.

The announcement was made by John Banyon, Benton Harbor division manager for Indiana & Michigan Electric Co., which operates Indiana & Michigan Electric Power Co. as a subsidiary of I & M. The power company was formed in 1971 under the Public Utility Holding Act to finance construction of the huge lakefront facility, Banyon reported.

The bond offering made by I&M Power is guaranteed by American Electric Power Company, Inc. I&M's parent firm.

Construction of the second 1.1-million-kilowatt unit at the nuclear plant was resumed last July after being halted in November 1974 by lack of financing.

The Cook nuclear plant upon completion now is estimated to cost not less than \$880 million, exclusive of nuclear fuel.

LOCAL GRAIN

BUCHANAN CO-OP
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No. 1 Soybeans 4.21 down 20
No. 2 Barley 1.54 steady
No. 2 Ear Corn 2.31 down 9
No. 2 Shelled Corn 2.36 down 8
No. 2 Wheat 3.10 down 12
No. 2 New Wheat 3.08 down 9
Oats 1.37 steady
Rye 2.00 steady

These are the markets as of this morning — prior to the opening of the Chicago Board of Trade.

SCHOOL CHIEF QUILTS

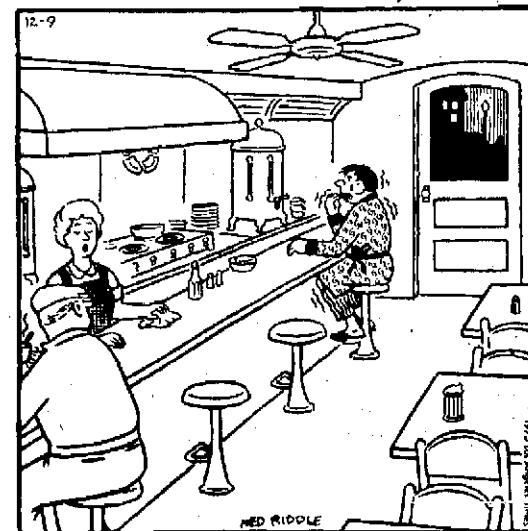
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JUST KEEPING UP

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite record wheat and corn crops in the United States this year, world agricultural production over-all has just about kept pace with a 2 per cent increase in population.

MR. TWEEDY

by Ned Riddle



"HIS NAME IS TWEEDY. AFTER HE'S HAD ONE OF HIS BAD NIGHTMARES HE LIKES TO BE AROUND PEOPLE FOR AWHILE."

Flurries Of Snow Tonight

Southwestern Lower Michigan — Cloudy and colder with occasional snow flurries tonight, low lower 20s. Mostly cloudy with a few snow flurries Wednesday, high near 30. Winds north to northwest 10 to 20 miles per hour tonight and Wednesday. Probability of measurable precipitation 30 per cent tonight, 20 per cent Wednesday.

EXTENDED OUTLOOK:
Chance of showers Thursday or Friday. Warm until colder Saturday. Highs mainly 40s Thursday and Friday and 30s Saturday. Lows 30s Thursday and Friday and mainly 20s Saturday.

WEATHER PICTURE
The highest temperature in Michigan yesterday was 39 at Detroit. The lowest was 17 at Marquette.

The highest temperature one year ago in Detroit was 26. The low was 14.

The highest temperature for this date in Detroit since 1872 was 58 in 1946. The lowest was five below in 1878.

The sun sets today at 5:01 p.m., rises tomorrow at 7:51 a.m. and sets tomorrow at 5:01 p.m.

The moon rises today at 12:06 p.m., sets tomorrow at 12:02 a.m. and rises tomorrow at 12:32 p.m.

Highs and lows at selected sites:

	High	Low
Alpena, snow	34	28
Detroit, snow	39	30
Escanaba, cloudy	32	27
Flint, snow	37	31
Grand Rapids, snow	33	27
Houghton, clear	31	21
Houghton Lake, snow	30	26
Jackson, snow	36	28
Lansing, snow	34	29
Marquette, snow	29	17
Muskegon, snow	35	30
Pellston, snow	31	27
Port Huron, cloudy	35	31
Saginaw, snow	33	30
S.S. Marie, cloudy	33	26
Traverse City, snow	31	29

Memorial Hospital

ADMITTED
St. Joseph — Charles H. Burch, 3001 Lake Shore drive, Apt. 248; Christopher B. Burke, 3603 Arbor street; Deanna L. Roberts, 1403 Timber Lane; Larry E. Wagner, 1618 Old Hickory Lane.

Benton Harbor — Cheryl L. Cooper, 1200 East Empire, Lot 25; James R. Coigle, 2172 Irving drive; Mrs. Roy N. Keech, 439 Brownway drive; Julie K. Taylor, 1592 Pipestone.

Baruda — Graver C. Shuler, Route 1, Snow road.

Berrien Springs — Jerry L. Mizell, Route 2, Box 509-A, Red Bud Trail.

Coloma — Mrs. Guy H. Sliter, Box 18; Geneva and Mark Stewart, 5043 Red Arrow highway.

Pullman — Elmer D. Williams, Route 1, Box 17.

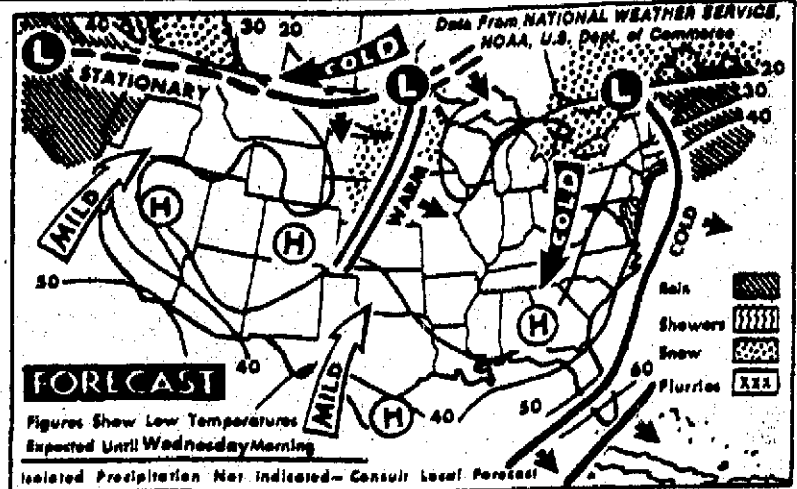
South Haven — Salonda T. Mahins, Route 1, Box 221.

Stevensville — Mrs. Harley I. Bridwell, 5974 St. Joseph avenue; Mrs. Ralph W. Dienes, 2228 Rocky Wood road; Dawn M. Sobralski, 5587 Karen court.

Watervliet — Mrs. Terry L. Tibbs, Route 1, Box 831.

BIRTHS
St. Joseph — A boy, weighing 8 pounds, 12 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Wells, 603 Wayne street, at 11:50 p.m. Monday.

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TODAY'S WEATHER MAP: Mild weather is forecast Tuesday for the West and cold weather for the East. Snow is expected for the Dakotas, Minnesota, and the lower Great Lakes. Rain is forecast for parts of New England and for the Pacific Northwest coast. (AP Wirephoto Map)

EAU CLAIRE

Board Begins Search For Bus Garage Site

EAU CLAIRE — The Eau Claire school board last night agreed to begin looking for a site within the school district for a bus garage.

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Dr. Schaefer said the school district is using an independent contractor to perform maintenance on the district's 17 school buses. If a bus garage is found, he said the board intends to hire its own maintenance personnel with the hope of cutting maintenance costs.

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In other areas, the board set Dec. 19 as the final date for tuition from the last school year to be paid. Schaefer was authorized to prohibit students from attending classes after that date if their tuition and transportation fees from last year have not been paid in full.

Schaefer said five families were delinquent in paying last year's tuition charges.

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Niles — Cleora Smith, 524 1/2 Hickory.

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Judge John Iwaniuk. Judge Iwaniuk assessed a fine of \$25 and \$24 in court costs against the firm.

Last Thursday, Judge Iwaniuk issued separate warrants for the firm and three of its officers after it was learned STAT was operating in the area without a license. The warrants were not served after Mrs. Kleaveland agreed to appear in court yesterday. The charges against the three STAT officers, Mrs. Kleaveland, Alfred Nowlin, vice president, and Naomi Nolan, secretary-treasurer, were dismissed.

STAT began emergency ambulance service in the area after signing a 90-day interim contract with the Southwest Michigan Community Ambulance Service (SMCAS).

Charges against the firm and its officers were authorized by the Berrien county prosecutor's office after Robert Wilson, owner of Gold Crown Ambulance Service, Niles, filed a complaint with Niles township police last Tuesday. Wilson discontinued emergency ambulance service to the area after Nov. 17.

Mrs. Kleaveland said at a public hearing held by SMCSA last Wednesday, that STAT did not have a license to operate the ambulance from Nov. 17 to Dec. 3, but added that a license application was delivered to Lansing that day and it received verbal approval from the state.

SMCSA will hold a second public hearing to determine what type of permanent ambulance service should be established in the Niles-Buchanan area, on Wednesday, Dec. 10, at 7:30 p.m. at Buchanan high school.

NYC Package Is Coming Together

WASHINGTON (AP) — The elements of a federal package to keep New York City out of default are coming together, with the House ready to approve a change in federal bankruptcy laws and the Senate prepared to approve \$2.3 billion for loans to the city.

The change in the bankruptcy law, expected to be voted on today in the House, would permit orderly default by municipalities. President Ford has asked for the change.

Cook Plant Bond Sale Thursday

Indiana & Michigan Power Company will sell milvlin first-mortgage bonds in competitive bidding Thursday. Proceeds will be used to finance continued construction of Unit 2 at the Donald C. Cook nuclear plant at Bridgman.

The announcement was made by John Banyon, Benton Harbor division manager for Indiana & Michigan Electric Co., which operates Indiana & Michigan Electric Power Co. as a subsidiary of I & M. The power company was formed in 1971 under the Public Utility Holding Act to finance construction of the huge lakefront facility, Banyon reported.

The bond offering made by I&M Power is guaranteed by American Electric Power Company, Inc. I&M's parent firm.

Construction of the second 1.1-million-kilowatt unit at the nuclear plant was resumed last July after being halted in November 1974 by lack of financing.

The Cook nuclear plant upon completion now is estimated to cost not less than \$980 million, exclusive of nuclear fuel.

LOCAL GRAIN

BUCHANAN CO-OP BUCHANAN, MICH.
No. 1 Soybeans 4.21 down 20
No. 2 Barley 1.54 steady
No. 2 Ear Corn 2.31 down 9
No. 2 Shelled Corn 2.36 down 8
No. 2 Wheat 3.10 down 12
No. 2 New Wheat 3.08 down 9
Oats 1.37 steady
Rye 2.00 steady
These are the markets as of this morning — prior to the opening of the Chicago Board of Trade.

SCHOOL CHIEF QUILTS EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. (AP) — After 16 years as school superintendent in East Grand Rapids, George Ruwitch is resigning.

JUST KEEPING UP WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite record wheat and corn crops in the United States this year, world agricultural production over-all has just about kept pace with a 2 per cent increase in population.

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Flurries Of Snow Tonight

Southwestern Lower Michigan — Cloudy and colder with occasional snow flurries tonight, low lower 20s. Mostly cloudy with a few snow flurries Wednesday, high near 30. Winds north to northwest 10 to 20 miles per hour tonight and Wednesday. Probability of measurable precipitation 30 per cent tonight, 20 per cent Wednesday.

EXTENDED OUTLOOK: Chance of showers Thursday or Friday. Warm until colder Saturday. Highs mainly 40s Thursday and Friday and 30s Saturday. Lows 30s Thursday and Friday and mainly 20s Saturday.

WEATHER PICTURE The highest temperature in Michigan yesterday was 39 at Detroit. The lowest was 17 at Marquette.

The highest temperature one year ago in Detroit was 26. The low was 14.

The highest temperature for this date in Detroit since 1872 was 58 in 1946. The lowest was five below in 1876.

The sun sets today at 5:01 p.m., rises tomorrow at 7:51 a.m. and sets tomorrow at 5:01 p.m.

The moon rises today at 12:06 p.m., sets tomorrow at 12:02 a.m. and rises tomorrow at 12:32 p.m.

Highs and lows at selected sites:

	High	Low
Alpena, snow	34	28
Detroit, snow	39	30
Escanaba, cloudy	32	27
Flint, snow	37	31
Grand Rapids, snow	33	27
Houghton, clear	31	21
Houghton Lake, snow	30	26
Jackson, snow	36	28
Lansing, snow	34	29
Marquette, snow	29	17
Muskegon, snow	35	30
Pellston, snow	31	27
Port Huron, cloudy	35	31
Saginaw, snow	33	30
S.S. Marie, cloudy	33	26
Traverse City, snow	31	29

Memorial Hospital

ADMITTED
St. Joseph — Charles H. Burch, 3001 Lake Shore drive, Apt. 248; Christopher B. Burke, 3603 Arbor street; Deanna L. Roberts, 1403 Timber Lane; Larry E. Wagner, 1618 Old Hickory Lane.

Benton Harbor — Cheryl L. Cooper, 1200 East Empire, Lot 25; James R. Geigle, 2172 Irving drive; Mrs. Roy N. Keech, 439 Brownway drive; Julie K. Taylor, 1592 Pipestone.

Baroda — Grover C. Shuler, Route 1, Snow road.

Berrien Springs — Jerry L. Mizell, Route 2, Box 509-A, Red Bud Trail.

Coloma — Mrs. Guy H. Sliter, Box 18; Geneva and Mark Stewart, 5043 Red Arrow highway.

Pullman — Elmer D. Williams, Route 1, Box 17.

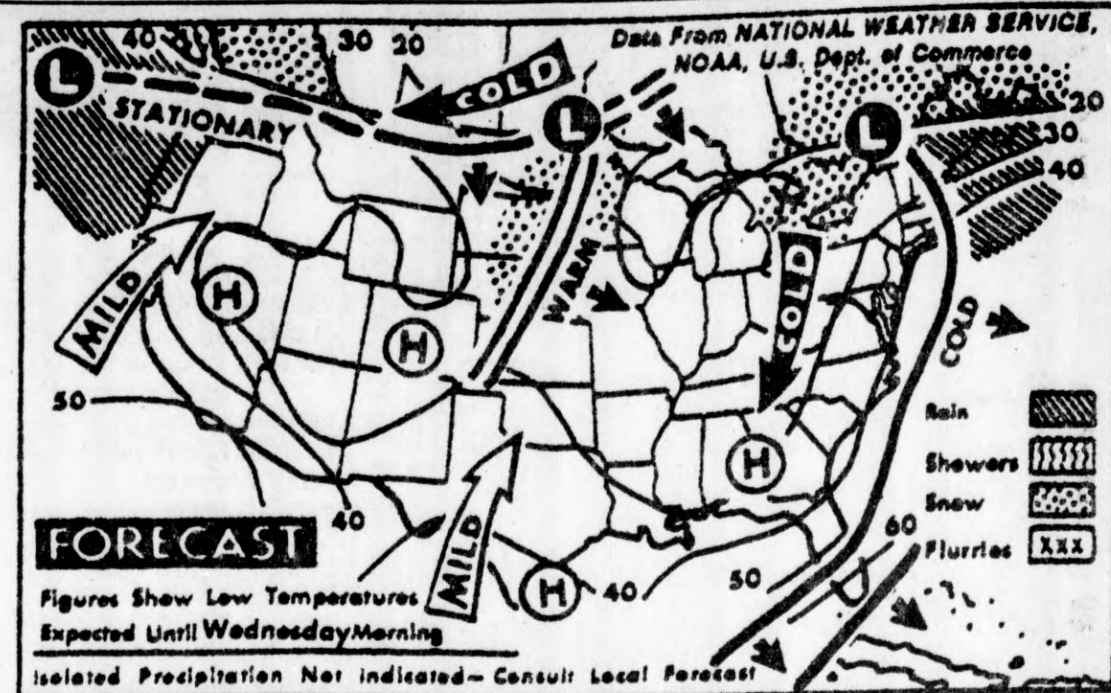
South Haven — Salonda T. Mabins, Route 1, Box 221.

Stevensville — Mrs. Harley I. Bridwell, 5974 St. Joseph avenue; Mrs. Ralph W. Dienes, 2228 Rocky Weed road; Dawn M. Sobralski, 5587 Karen court.

Watervliet — Mrs. Terry L. Tibbs, Route 1, Box 831.

BIRTHS
St. Joseph — A boy, weighing 8 pounds, 12 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Wells, 603 Wayne street, at 11:50 p.m. Monday.

Benton Harbor — A boy, weighing 7 pounds, eight ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Turcotte, 266 Cherokee Trail, at 5:33 p.m. Monday.



TODAY'S WEATHER MAP: Mild weather is forecast Tuesday for the West and cold weather for the East. Snow is expected for the Dakotas, Minnesota, and the lower Great Lakes. Rain is forecast for parts of New England and for the Pacific Northwest coast. (AP Wirephoto Map)

EAU CLAIRE

Board Begins Search For Bus Garage Site

EAU CLAIRE — The Eau Claire school board last night agreed to begin looking for a site within the school district for a bus garage.

Dr. William F. Schaefer, superintendent, said the board appointed a five-member committee to find a site suitable for a bus garage which can be either leased or purchased. The committee is to report back to the board at its next meeting, Jan. 12.

Dr. Schaefer said the school district is using an independent contractor to perform maintenance on the district's 17 school buses. If a bus garage is found, he said the board intends to hire its own maintenance personnel with the hope of cutting maintenance costs.

The bus garage committee is composed of Schaefer, board members Sheldon Rosenberg and Bruce Dustin, transportation supervisor Jerry Greenhaw and former Sup. Donald McAlvey.

In other areas, the board set Dec. 19 as the final date for tuition from the last school year to be paid. Schaefer was authorized to prohibit students from attending classes after that date if their tuition and transportation fees from last year have not been paid in full.

Schaefer said five families were delinquent in paying last year's tuition charges.

The board voted approval for a policy setting fixed rental rates on school district facilities used by residents and organizations within the school district.

The policy gives free use of school facilities to school clubs, senior citizens groups and other groups holding activities of benefit to the general public with no admission charge.

The highest rental rate in the policy was \$300 for groups using the high school gym for fund raising activities.

Athletic Director Kenneth Brauer told the board that Rus-

ADMISSIONS
BUCHANAN — Patients admitted to Unity hospital during the past 24 hours include:

Buchanan — Theotus Tucker, 317 Elizabeth; Ruth Crittelle, 122 Elizabeth; Leonard Bagwell, 123 West Smith; Mary Kyles, 314 Richards.

Benton Harbor — Mary Jordan, 410 Miller; Clara Pilgrim, 805 North Shore drive.

Galien — Lloyd Heckathorn, route 1, Cleveland Ave.

Niles — Cleora Smith, 524 1/2 Hickory.

South Haven Hospital

SOUTH HAVEN — Patients admitted to South Haven Community hospital yesterday include Mrs. Rose Bickel, Mrs. Leona Davy, Mrs. Isodone Thorchinsky, Mrs. Mary Toole, all South Haven; Mrs. Joshua Hallman, Bangor.

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Address Is Wrong, Says Plaintiff

James Lee Lewis, 25, plaintiff in a suit charging false arrest, said he does not live at 1455 Bishop street, Benton Harbor, as reported in The Herald-Palladium Saturday.

Lewis said his address is P.O. Box 362, Benton Harbor, and he lives in an apartment on Sixth street.

An arrest record of Oct. 2 lists Lewis address as 1455 Bishop. Court and police records also show Lewis was arrested at 1455 Bishop on a charge of receiving and concealing stolen property. He was arrested by Berrien Metro crime officers who executed a search warrant.

Named defendant in the suit seeking \$15,000 is John Clark, a Metro officer. Metro Commander Don Jewell said Clark was not present when Lewis was arrested.

Berrien General

ADMISSIONS
BERRIEN CENTER — Patients admitted to Berrien General hospital during the past 24 hours include:

Benton Harbor — Mrs. Bernice McDowell, 335 Parker; Mrs. Allie Burnside, 962 Highland; Mrs. L. V. Johnson, 1008 Buss, Apt. 1.

St. Joseph — Mrs. Margaret McGath, 3995 Applewood.

Bridgman — Mrs. Bernice Mann, Jordan's Nursing home.

Sawyer — Mrs. Elsie Johnson, route 1, Box 349-A.

BIRTHS
Buchanan — A boy weighing 8 pounds 13 1/2 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Norton, route 1, Box 734-A, at 4:49 p.m. Monday.

Hartford — A boy weighing 7 pounds 13 1/2 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Guerrero, Box 433, at 6:37 a.m. Monday.

South Haven — A girl weighing 7 pounds 2 1/2 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Barrett, route 3, Box 422, at 8:35 a.m. Monday.

Waterliet — Patients admitted to Waterliet Community hospital during the past 24 hours include:

Waterliet — Gunnar Pearson, 926 Woodland.

Benton Harbor — Henry Suell, route 1.

Bangor — Ronald Craft Sr., 207 Center.

Coloma — Kristina Nelson, 5544 Beck road.

Lawrence — James Reed, P.O. Box 27.

South Haven — Mrs. Garrett Leffler, 829 Phillips.

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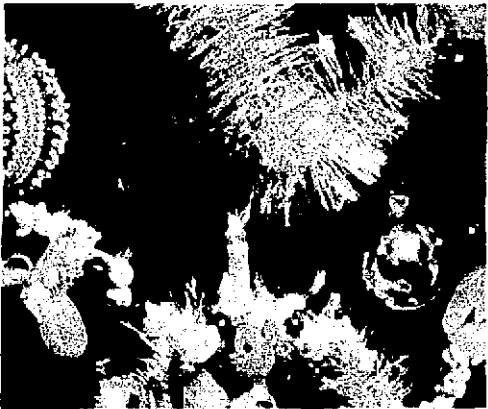
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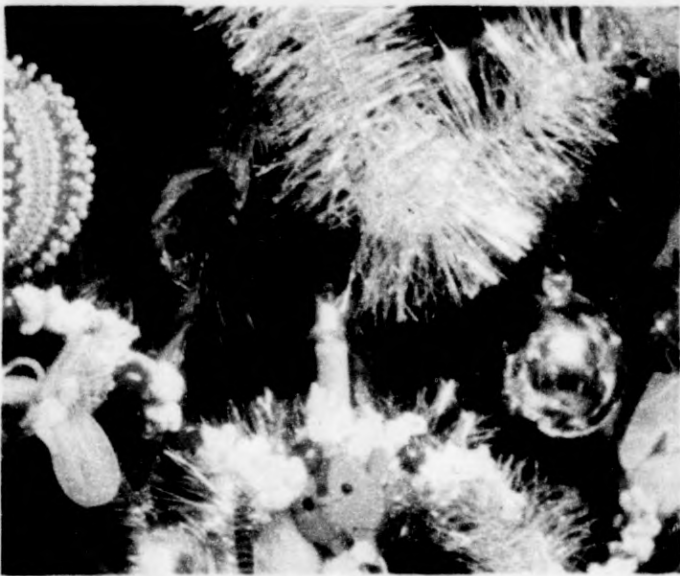
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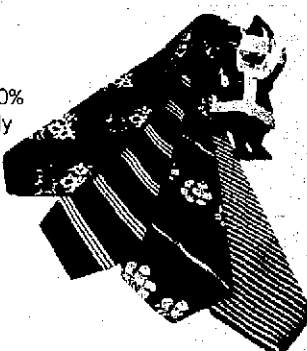


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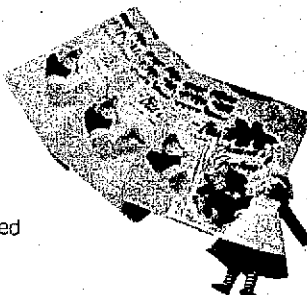
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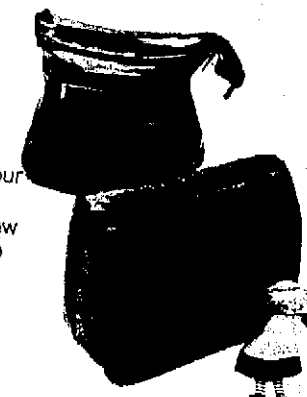
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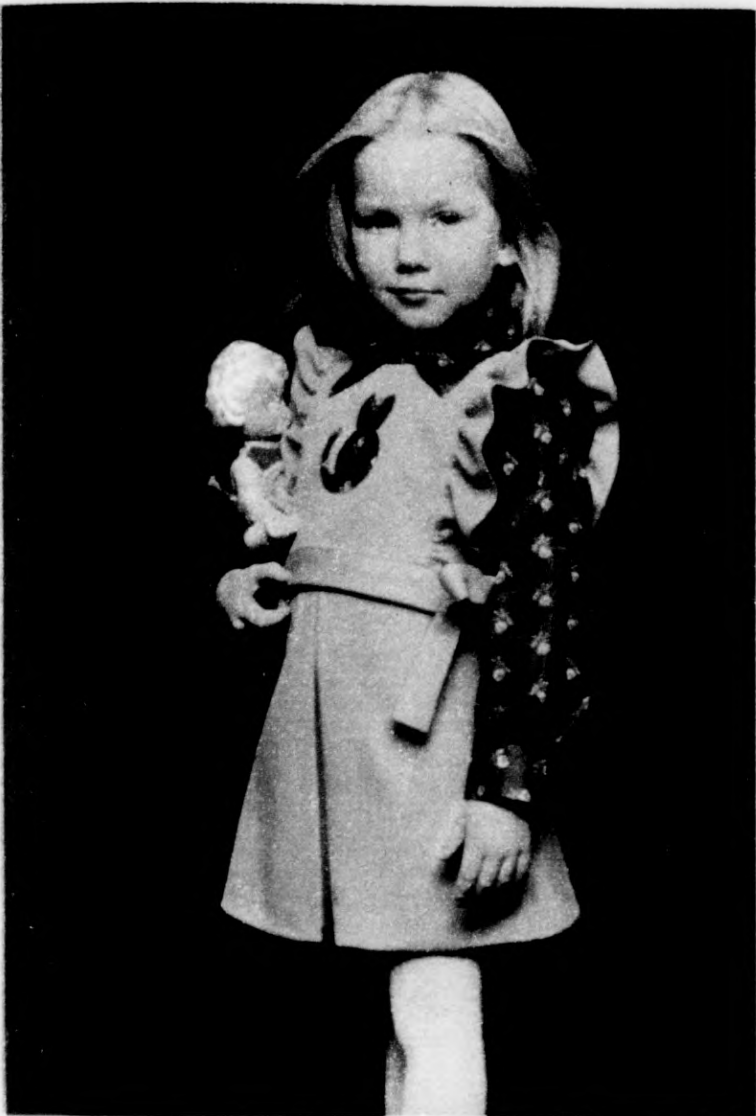
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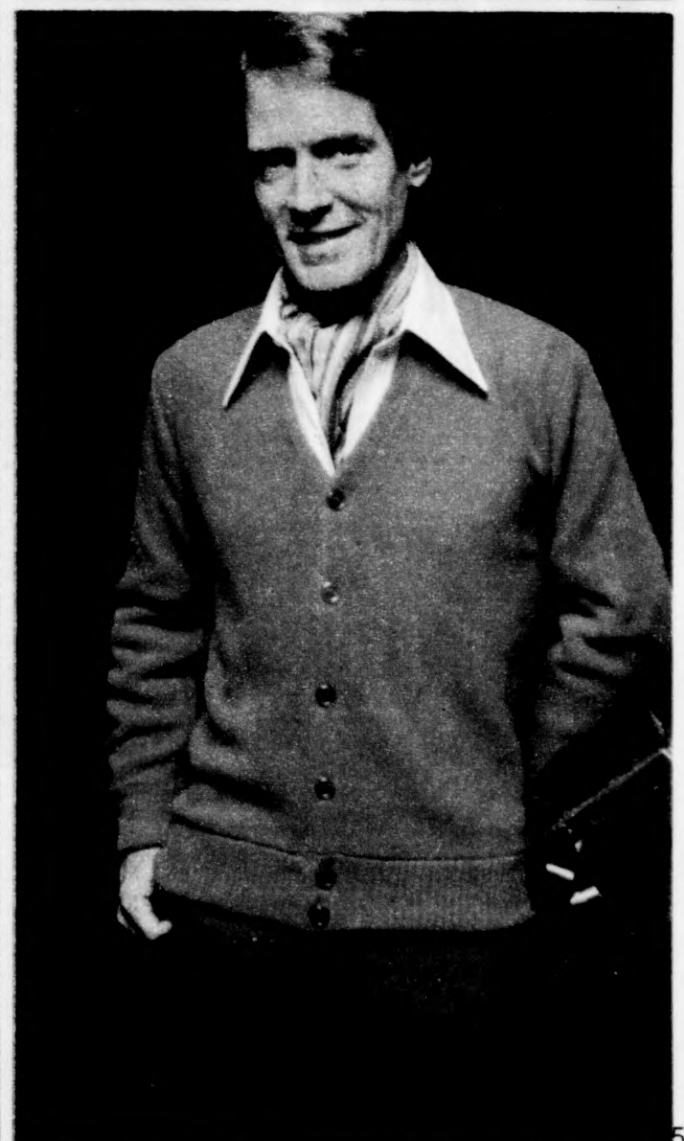
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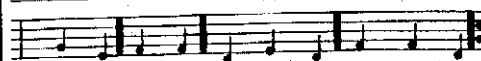


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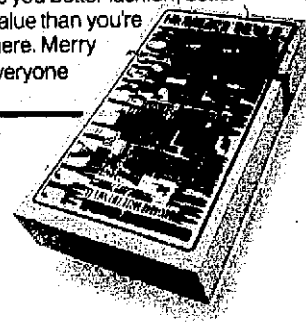
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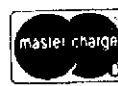
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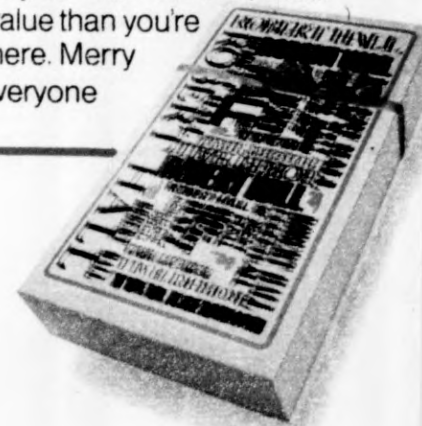
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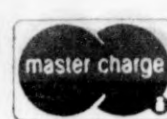
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